

EDMONTON

metro®

NEWS
WORTH
SHARING.



Volcano
Japanese & Vietnamese Restaurant
780.718.0618

NEW VOLCANO RESTAURANT - BEST SUSHI
Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!
BOOK YOUR HOLIDAY PARTY TODAY!
Please call 780.756.2218

4226 Gateway Blvd
Open 7 Days a Week • Sun-Thu 11am-10pm • Fri & Sat 11am-2am
NOW HIRING! PLEASE CALL WITHIN • MAKE YOUR RESERVATION TODAY!

No severance for Ferguson cop

Officer Darren Wilson, who killed Michael Brown, did not get a package when he resigned **PAGE 10**

Not cheap, frugal!

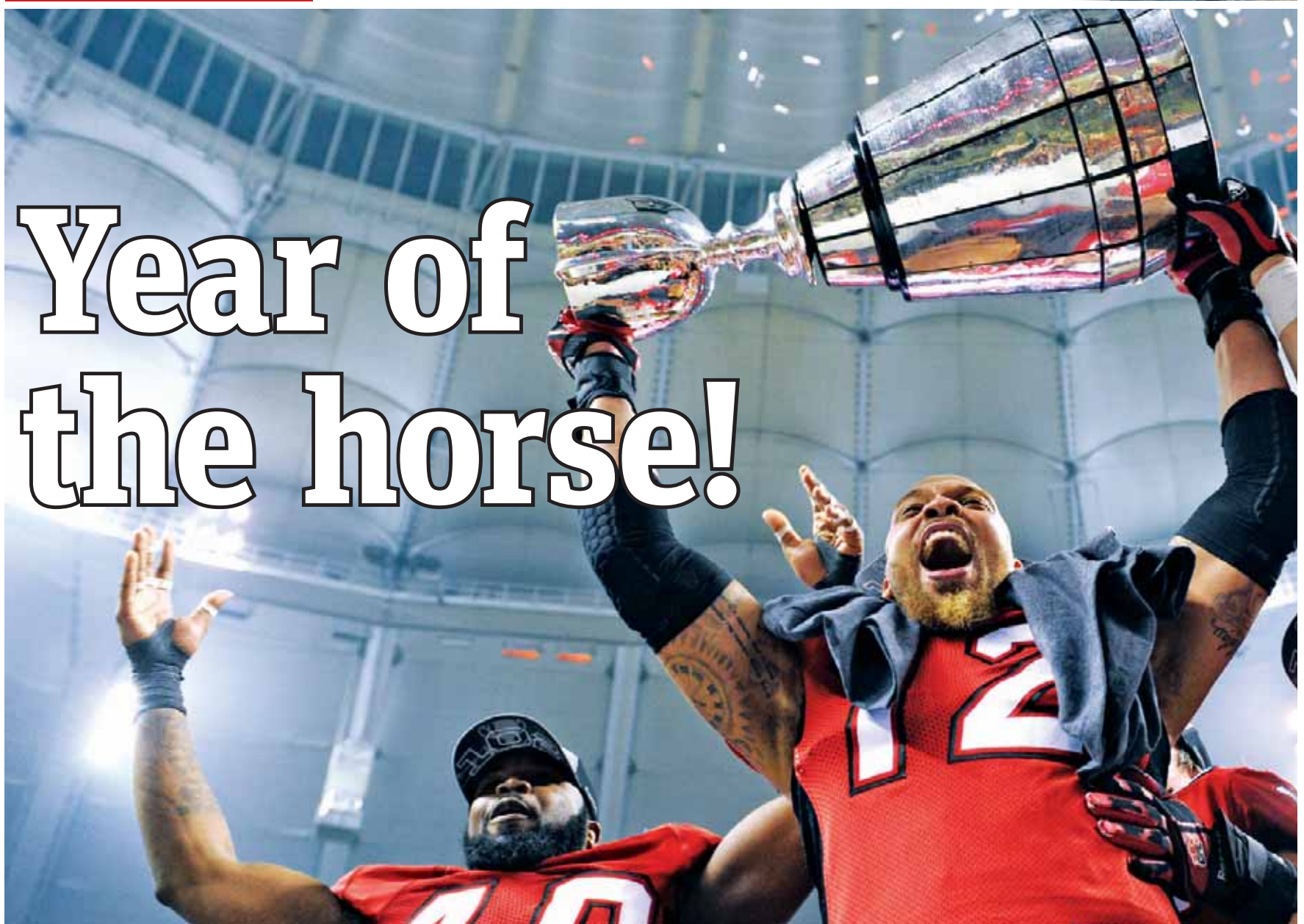
Don't worry about what others think about your spending habits — Gail Vaz-Oxlade says to focus on your saving habits **PAGE 21**

DIGITAL-AGE VOYAGE TO THE ARCTIC

DOCUMENTARY ABOUT AMATEUR SAILORS CAN BE VIEWED IN VIRTUAL REALITY **PAGE 17**



Year of the horse!



The Calgary Stampeders' Juwan Simpson, centre, Shawn Lemon, left, and the rest of the team celebrate their 102nd Grey Cup win over the Hamilton Tiger-Cats at BC Place in Vancouver on Sunday. The Stamps won 20-16. For the story, see page 25. CANDICE WARD / FOR METRO

Get it before it's gone.



Get a **FREE*** Samsung GALAXY Tab S 10.5 when you switch to Optik TV™ and Internet on a 3 year term.†

Call **310-MYTV (6988)**,
go to **telus.com/switch** or visit your **TELUS store**.

 **TELUS**
the future is friendly®

TELUS STORES

Downtown

Edmonton City Centre
9915 108A Ave. NW
11315 104th Ave.

North

Kingsway Garden Mall
Londonderry Mall
Northgate Centre
9410 137th Ave. NW
9624 165th Ave.

South

Bonnie Doon Mall
Millwoods Town Centre
Southgate Centre
1916 99th St.
1934 38th Ave.
5912 104th St.
6172 50th St. NW
9518 Ellerslie Rd. SW
10309 34th Ave.
10642 82nd Ave. NW

West End

West Edmonton Mall
9935 170th St.
10429 178th St. NW
12714 137th Ave. NW
14220 Yellowhead Trail
14903 118th Ave. NW

Fort Saskatchewan

112 Town Crest Rd.
8701 94th St.

Leduc

5311 Discovery Way
5906 50th St.

Morinville

9918 100th St.

Sherwood Park

971 Ordze Rd.
975 Broadmoor Blvd.
2020 Sherwood Dr.

Spruce Grove

Westland Market Mall
96 Campsite Rd.
141 Century Crossing

St. Albert

St. Albert Centre
20 Muir Dr.

Stony Plain

82 Boulder Blvd.

Offer available to residential customers who have not subscribed to Optik TV or Internet in the past 90 days. Offer not available in all areas. Call now for eligibility. TELUS reserves the right to modify channel lineups and packaging, and regular pricing without notice. Cannot be combined with other offers. Offer not available with TELUS Internet 6. HDTV-input-equipped television required to watch HD. Minimum system requirements apply. Final eligibility for the services will be determined by a TELUS representative. *Manufacturer's suggested retail price of Samsung Galaxy Tab S 10.5 is \$519.99. TELUS reserves the right to substitute an equivalent or better product without notice. †A cancellation fee applies for early termination of the service agreement and will be the value of the promotional gift received in return for your term commitment, multiplied by the number of months remaining in the term (with a partial month counting as a full month), divided by the total number of months in the term, plus applicable taxes. An additional cancellation fee applies if you received free installation or TV equipment rental and will be \$10 per month multiplied by the number of months remaining in the service, plus applicable taxes. Rental equipment must be returned in good condition upon cancellation of service, otherwise the replacement cost will be charged to the account. TELUS, the TELUS logo, Optik, Optik TV, telus.com and the future is friendly are trademarks of TELUS Corporation, used under licence. Samsung is a registered trademark of Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd., used with permission. Wi-Fi is a registered trademark of the Wi-Fi Alliance. © 2014 TELUS.

Annual report

More EPSB students self-identifying as aboriginal: Report

More students are self-identifying as First Nation, Métis or Inuit in Edmonton's public schools as the district continues to work to close the achievement gap for aboriginal students.

New data released in EPSB's annual education report showed there are now 7,944 students who identify as FNMI in the city's public schools, an increase from 7,600 last year. While more students are self-identifying, the data also found there was a drop in the number of FNMI students who were finishing high school.

"We had a little hiccup in 2014, but you can see a steady decline in our dropout rate," said Eileen Marthiensen, EPSB program coordinator.

According to the report, high-school completion rates for FNMI students rose from 21.7 per cent in 2009 to 30.3 per cent in 2012 but dropped to 27 per cent last year.

EPSB Chair Sarah Hoffman said that on paper the numbers might look concerning but in reality represent success that all Albertans should be paying attention to.

"I hope it brings concern not only to people who are working in the education system but I hope to Albertans around what we're doing to ensure success for all students," said Hoffman.

LEAH HOLOIDAY/METRO



The city budget proposes to add an additional peace officer that would have a constant presence at council meetings. RYAN TUMILTY/METRO

City hall looking to boost security

New position. Staff want to add full-time peace officer at council, committee meetings



**RYAN
TUMILTY**
ryan.tumilty@metronews.ca

City staff are looking for a slight boost in security at city hall after noticing a few more agitated people in the building.

With a steady increase in the incidents being investigated, the city is looking to add

a full-time officer, at a cost of \$100,000, who could be committed to council and committee meetings.

There are currently 15 Edmonton Peace Officers patrolling the building and surrounding areas.

"It's getting busier at city hall and in the immediate vicinity, so if we put some at city hall with our current staffing, that means they are pulled from other duties and responsibilities," said Ron Gabruck, who oversees the officers.

Those 15 officers have seen a rise in the demand for their services over the last few

years. In 2012 they had 447 investigations for a wide range of issues but based on the numbers to date they expect it will hit 770 this year.

Gabruck said they have also noticed more emotional or agitated people at council meetings, and an officer can help in those situations.

"People are very passionate about their issues and they want to have their say at city hall, and obviously we want them to do that, but there is process involved," he said.

Coun. Amarjeet Sohi said in his time on council, he feels just as safe as he always has.

"I personally have not seen

any incidents of rowdiness or disorder at city hall," he said.

Sohi said he is willing to consider the additional officer but it's a tight budget, and with more funding coming for police officers downtown, there might be other ways to address these issues.

"I think we need to look at things in more of a holistic approach," he said.

Sohi said it's paramount that people feel safe in important civic destinations.

"We want to continue to have a city hall and Churchill Square as places where people can go and enjoy without any fear."

NEWS 1



The Mercedes-Benz Year End Event



Ask us about Prepaid Maintenance
Mercedes-Benz.ca/PPM

Take advantage of the season's most exceptional offers.

THE 2015 GLK 250 BlueTEC AVANTGARDE EDITION TOTAL PRICE: \$51,240*				THE 2015 ML 350 BlueTEC 4MATIC* TOTAL PRICE: \$64,840			
Finance APR	Lease APR	Lease Payment	Plus receive an additional:	Finance APR	Lease APR	Lease Payment	Plus receive an additional:
1.9% ^{0/1}	3.9% ^{0/**}	\$498**	\$2,000 ¹	2.9% ^{0/1}	4.9% ^{0/**}	\$698**	\$1,500 ¹
60 Months	45 Months	\$8,937** Down	Cash Credit	60 Months	39 Months	\$8,837** Down	Cash Credit

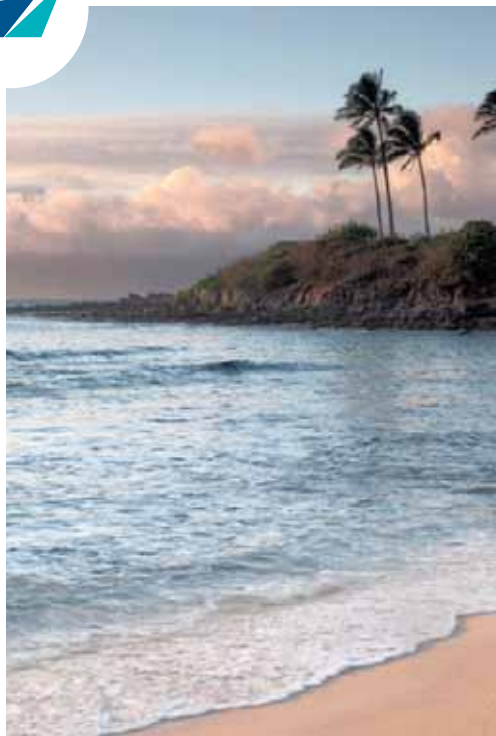


Mercedes-Benz

The David Morris Difference: David Morris Fine Cars, 17407-111 Avenue, 780-484-9000, davidmorrisfinecars.com
Great Selection on All Models

Mercedes-Benz STAR DEAL

Hawaii, just
the way you
want it.



Say aloha to the Hawaiian vacation you've always dreamt of – one that's perfectly tailored to your travel style. Choose to discover one or more of the beautiful islands, from Honolulu, Kona, Lihue or Maui, and then customize your length of stay. Enjoy the amenities of a hotel, or the comforts of home away from home in a condo.

It's paradise, exactly as you've imagined.

Book at
westjetvacations.com/hawaii
or call your travel agent.

WESTJET
vacations



Edmonton's Eastglen High School football team was out cheering with other fans at Sunday's Grey Cup game in Vancouver, thanks to Nissan's Back in the Game program. CONTRIBUTED

Unforgettable day for football team

Back in the Game.

Inner-city school's story earns national support

While a light dusting of snow might have kept an Edmonton high school football team from gearing up over the weekend, it couldn't dampen the mood of players who found themselves cheering on Alberta at Sunday's Grey Cup.

The Eastglen Blue Devils were one of two teams selected from across the

In numbers

\$25,000

After being chosen earlier this year, Eastglen players received \$25,000 in new jerseys, helmets, practice equipment and a new equipment room through the program.

country to take part in Nissan's Back in the Game — a program to reignite high school football in Canada.

Blue Devils' coach Kent Anderson said the opportunity is one the team won't

ever forget.

On Friday, they were flown out to Vancouver on the CFL's new jet to face off against a Hamilton football team who'd also been chosen for the program.

While the team never had a chance to hit the field thanks to snow, Anderson said the entire experience has reinvigorated the team, which in recent years had stalled due to low enrolment and a prolonged losing streak.

"We just couldn't get the kids out for football. We hadn't won in a couple

of years, hadn't won any games. Kids didn't want to be a part of that," said Anderson, recalling the last few years when coaching staff opted to compete in a six-player league rather than field a full team.

A strong 2014 season that included a provincial title propelled the Blue Devils back to their dozen-man line up, and their story earned them a nod from Nissan.

"It's definitely helped not just the football team, but the spirit as well," Anderson said.

LEAH HOLOIDAY/METRO

Long & McQuade
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

SHOP ONLINE AT
LONG-MCQUADE.COM

Music #BestGiftEver

Shop **Canada's Music Store**
Expert Staff · Best Prices · Huge Selection

10204 107 Ave | 13651 149 St NW | 9219 28 Ave NW | 10832 82 Ave NW
780.423.4448 | 780.425.1400 | 780.432.0102 | 780.439.0007

Your opinion matters!

Share your opinion on ads that run in Metro by joining the RAM panel at metronews.ca/panel.

Go to metronews.ca/panel and join today

Edmonton councillors set to sort out capital budget

\$4 billion. A host of smaller projects are up for funding approval



RYAN TUMILTY
ryan.tumilty@metronews.ca

Will a new police helicopter take off? Will west-end residents get a recreation centre? Will the Winspear expand?

Those are the questions Edmonton councillors are expected to answer Monday as the capital budget debate comes to an end.

After hearing from the public and city departments, councillors will debate 31 proposed changes to the budget, including bike lanes on 102nd Avenue, a safety barrier on the High Level Bridge and widening a section of Whitemud Drive.

Coun. Amarjeet Sohi said

Details

- The capital budget already includes funds for the downtown arena, the southeast LRT and arterial road rehabilitation.
- Metro will have ongoing coverage of the budget debates at metronews.ca.

council has to think both about short-term cash constraints and the long-term needs of the city.

"I think we need to debate these things in the larger context of building a city," he said.

As an example, Sohi pointed to the proposed Whitemud project, which he said was first brought up in 2007 and has risen from a \$14-million project to \$33 million in that time.

Sohi said he believes some of the projects are critical for the city but he hasn't made his mind up on anything.

"I always go into meetings with an open mind. That is the purpose of council meetings," he said.

Mayor Don Iveson said he expects a healthy debate around the projects Monday.

"I think there is a consensus around a few of the requests, whereas others, not so much," he said.

Iveson said generally the four-year budget is effectively set, with much of the money already allocated to projects council believes in, like LRT expansion.

He said the debate Monday will be about making sure important community projects aren't overlooked.

"It's a \$4-billion budget, and we are tinkering a few million dollars on the margins."



Edmonton councillors will debate the four-year capital budget on Monday. RYAN TUMILTY/METRO

Old oil wells fail standards, raise fears

New research is raising concern about tens of thousands of dormant Alberta oil wells that don't meet even minimum safety standards.

The Alberta Energy Regulator has begun a program that it says will result in all wells meeting those minimums within five years.

But critics say those standards amount to little more

than a locked gate and a few signs. They want firm timelines to force companies to clean up old well sites — some of which have been sitting unused for decades — before the liability winds up with taxpayers.

"Unless timely action is taken to ensure that oil companies deal with their liabilities while they still

By the numbers

80,000

Alberta has 80,000 inactive wells in total, a number that is increasing as the pace of abandonment outstrips that of reclamation.

have the financial capability

to do so, the reality will be that either the taxpayer is going to be on the hook or the landowner will be stuck with the problem," said Keith Wilson, a lawyer who has represented hundreds of landowners against the energy industry.

Since 2007, inactive wells in Alberta must be fenced, locked, signed and tested to

ensure they don't leak. For most "suspended" wells, no cleanup is required.

But in the report, Barry Robinson of the environmental law group Ecojustice points to recent figures from the regulator that acknowledge 37,000 inactive wells in Alberta don't meet those minimum standards. Of those, at least 3,300 also

have well-bore integrity problems.

Worse, said Robinson, regulations designed to allow operators to bring wells into and out of production as markets require are being used to mothball wells for years and even decades without having to spend the money to clean them up.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

There is an urgent demand for TEACHER'S ASSISTANTS

- Wages for permanent staff are \$18.55 – \$29.59/hour
- **LEARN ONLINE** – Guided online learning, instructor-led, in a highly supported environment
- Become a Teacher's Assistant/Education Assistant in just 40 weeks
- 8 week full-time practicum

Tel: 1-855-227-3460 • www.stenbergcollege.com



You are invited to an INFORMATION SESSION

Tuesday, Dec. 2nd
7 pm – 9 pm

The Westin Edmonton
10135 100th Street, Edmonton, AB T5J 0N7

All attendees will receive \$1000 bursary*

Please RSVP to edmonton@stenbergcollege.com or
Toll Free: 1-855-227-3460

*cannot be combined with any other offer



While temperatures started to rise on Sunday afternoon, they had dipped into the low minus 20s over the weekend, crippling the city's sidewalk plows. RYAN TUMILTY/METRO

City extends ban on seasonal parking

Sidewalk plows. Smaller units break down in freezing temperatures



RYAN TUMILTY
ryan.tumilty@metronews.ca

The city's seasonal parking ban will be extended, but crews will still start clearing out Edmonton's neighbourhoods first thing on Monday.

The seasonal parking ban was first put in place Friday evening and will be extended at least into Monday.

Laura McNabb, a spokeswoman for the transportation department, said the cold temperatures have proven to be a challenge this weekend.

"There is quite a bit of hardened ice on the col-

Quoted

"Hopefully, we will be getting higher numbers of people moving their vehicles off the road, so we can get through quicker."

Laura McNabb, a spokeswoman for the transportation department

lector bus routes, and that takes longer for the plows to get through," she said.

She said even though the seasonal parking ban is being extended, the work in neighbourhoods can start on schedule because they use different equipment.

This year the city has set up a rotation in which neighbourhoods will be cleared on the same day of the week all winter long.

McNabb said the reliable schedule is designed to make it easier for residents to know when to take their vehicles off the road.

One area that is well behind is sidewalk and trail clearing. McNabb said the

cold weather has played havoc with the city's fleet of sidewalk plows.

"We've got about 40 per cent of our fleet down right now," she said.

"They're still out there working with what we've got, but it's just going to take longer."

Parking ban

- The ban applies until it's lifted, and residents are advised not to return their vehicles to the street, even if plows have passed through.

Red Earth Creek area

Pipeline spills 60,000 litres of crude: Regulator

The Alberta Energy Regulator says close to 60,000 litres of crude oil have spilled into muskeg in the province's north.

An incident report by the regulator states that a mechanical failure was reported Thursday at a Canadian Natural Resources Limited pipeline approximately 27 kilometres north of Red Earth Creek.

The report says there are no reports of impact to wildlife and that a cleanup has begun.

Red Earth Creek is over 350 kilometres northwest of Edmonton.

Carrie Rosa, a spokeswoman for the regulator, says officials have been delayed in reaching the scene due to poor weather in the last few days.

No one from Canadian Natural Resources could be reached on Saturday for comment. In April, a pipeline owned by the company spilled 70,000 litres of oil and processed water in the region.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Winter roads. Conditions cause series of crashes

Cold and snowy conditions wreaked havoc on Edmonton streets over the weekend, causing a series of collisions and property damage.

Heavy snowfall started Thursday morning, causing Edmonton police to respond to 116 cases of property damage, five injuries and 14 hit-and-runs between 6 a.m. and 9 p.m.

The following day, EPS received reports of nine hit-and-runs, two injuries and 46 property-damage collisions between 6 a.m. and 11 p.m.

The roads continued to cause problems on Saturday,

with reports of 27 hit-and-runs, six injury collisions and 116 reports of property damage.

Motorists were reminded to stay off the roads at night, thanks to a drop in temperature, and drive at a reduced speed in order to avoid any possible collisions.

As of Sunday afternoon, EPS hadn't reported any fatalities as a result of the poor road conditions.

RCMP from across the province responded to 600 collisions between Thursday and Saturday, 50 of which involved injuries. **METRO**



Edmonton police were busy over the weekend, responding to a series of collisions and hit-and-runs due to poor road conditions. METRO FILE

OPEN HOUSE WINTER 2014

THURSDAY
DECEMBER 4
2 TO 7 PM

LIVE PRESENTATIONS
at 3 and 6 pm

Register online at digitalschool.ca

DIGITAL School
technical design college

Call 780-414-0200

#304, 10205-101 STREET, EDMONTON, AB

Toast of the town. Major wine festival on its way

Edmonton's culinary community could be placed on the map this year, as the city is set to host the largest wine and beer festival in the country.

A local organizing committee announced Sunday that the Northern Lands festival would be coming to Edmonton on March 27 and 28 at the Shaw Conference Centre.

Gurvinder Bhatia, one of the many members of the organizing committee, said Edmonton is ideally placed to bring in growers from across the country to one festival.

"It's such a great place to do an event like this because of the economy and because of a really growing food and wine culture," he said.

Bhatia said the response to the event has been astounding, with wineries, craft breweries and distillers from across the country joining in. He said a number of chefs, both locally and nationally, are also going to be a part of the event.

Details

Proceeds from the event will go to the High School Culinary Challenge and the Edmonton Community Foundation Grateful Palate Fund.

- More information about the event can be found at northernlands.ca.
- The organizing committee intends to host the festival every two years after the inaugural event.

He said the event will be great exposure for Edmonton, but beyond that, with everyone who is committed to attend, it will be great for the Canadian industry.

"We have so many high-profile people coming to this that it's absolutely going to raise the profile of the industry nationally and internationally," he said.

RYAN TUMILTY/METRO

Lake Louise

CP train goes off the tracks

Investigators are looking into what caused a CP train to derail Saturday morning in downtown Lake Louise.

The CP train went off the tracks at approximately 1:30 a.m., causing five train cars to derail, with one hanging over the Pipe Stone River. No one was injured.

Investigators believe a mechanical issue may have played a role. **METRO**

Highway 43

Prisoner injured in highway crash

A prisoner being transported in a correctional-services van was seriously injured Sunday when the vehicle lost control on Highway 43.

At approximately 10:20 a.m., the van collided with a parked semi tractor-trailer near Whitecourt when it tried to slow down on an icy road.

The two corrections officers in the van weren't injured. **METRO**

A job that fits your schedule perfectly.



- Part-time and full-time positions
- Morning, day and night shifts
- Flexible hours for busy schedules

Ask about our career advancement opportunities and apply in restaurant today or apply online at McDonalds.ca/careers



©2014 McDonald's

CUSTOMER APPRECIATION DAY THIS TUESDAY
NO COUPONS REQUIRED
BUY ANY REGULAR PRICED PRODUCT & RECEIVE
25% OFF

EXCLUSIVE SALE only at

VITALITY HEALTH FOODS

Your Health is Our Priority

CALVINA: 321ml
Tired of all those sugary sodas?
Then you'll love Calvina. Sweetened with Organic Sugar Cane it has only 51 calories and is naturally flavoured!
Check it out at www.calvina.com
\$2.99

NAKA SERRAPEPTASE: 90 enteric veggie capsules
Advanced Inflammation relief
Naturally Extra Strength
120,000 SU
An Anti-Inflammatory to Reduce Pain
A Natural Pain Control Substance
Plus, an Excellent Alternative to NSAIDS
HELPS TO DISSOLVE ANY DEAD OR NON-LIVING TISSUE
\$35.99

PRO KAVA: 400mg, 75 veggie capsules
Tranquility | Relaxation | Peacefulness
Find your centre with Pro Kava
The roots of the Kava plant are traditionally used to produce a drink with sedative properties without disrupting mental clarity. Historically consumed as a relaxation beverage in the South Pacific culture, use of Kava Kava dates back to the 1700's.
Many systems of the body can be negatively affected by stress. Therefore, it is extremely important to achieve a state of calm and relaxation when seeking optimum wellness.
\$39.99

vitalityhealthfoods.ca

Londonderry Mall 780-473-4268	Sherwood Park Mall (next to Chapters).....780-467-0389	West Edmonton Mall, Phase 3 (lower level, near the Brick).....780-484-0373
Northgate Centre 780-476-6062	St. Albert, Gateway Village Centre (next to Booster Juice).....780-460-4583	Downtown 10174 109 ST (next to Save-on Foods).....780-497-7217
Westmount Mall 780-453-1313	South Edmonton Common (across from London Drugs).....780-461-0889	Vitality Health Foods Spruce Grove (#114a 70 McLeod Ave, Westland Market Mall).....780-962-9385
Capilano Mall (next to Safeway).....780-413-4817	West Edmonton Mall, Phase 1 (next to Zellers).....780-448-9530	Camrose: Duggan Mall 780-673-9786
Bonnie Doon Mall (next to Bank of Montreal).....780-469-3411	Wetaskiwin: #1700, 3725 56 St.....780-368-3040	
Jasper Gates Square (Stony Plain Rd & 149 street).....780-484-2380		

Customer Appreciation

only at **VITALITY HEALTH FOODS**

BUY ANY REGULAR PRICED PRODUCT & RECEIVE 25% OFF

...your total before taxes. Minimum purchase \$25.00
One coupon per customer. Expires December 31, 2014

Former Gov. Gen. Jean named first female leader of la Francophonie

'A great reflection on our country.' Michaëlle Jean will replace Abdou Diouf, who stepped down after 10 years

Former governor general Michaëlle Jean has been named the first female leader of Organisation Internationale de la Francophonie (la Francophonie), and says its members must work closely together to ensure prosperity and stability. While the organization has concentrated largely on cultural issues over the years, Jean signalled on Sunday that more emphasis will be put on economic matters.

"One of the most ambitious and daring objectives that la Francophonie has ever set for itself is the idea of an economic Francophonie," she told a news conference after being named by consensus at a summit of its members in Dakar, Senegal.

"We need to work together, unite our efforts, especially as

Cultural diversity

"(Jean) exemplifies the cultural diversity of la Francophonie. She is a consensus builder who can represent the interests of francophones around the world."

Brian Gallant, New Brunswick Premier

countries want growth, prosperity and development, knowing for example that a crisis in Mali is not (just) a Malian crisis."

She said a sharply focused economic strategy can provide "new relevance for la Francophonie."

Jean, 57, was up against four other candidates at the summit of la Francophonie, whose 57 members include Canada, Quebec and New Brunswick. She will replace Abdou Diouf, who stepped down after more than 10 years in the position.

Prime Minister Stephen Harper, who attended the meeting with Quebec Premier Philippe Couillard and

New Brunswick's Brian Gallant, congratulated Jean and pointed out that Canada is the second biggest contributor to the organization.

"Obviously, all Canadians are very proud that our fellow citizen, former governor general Michaëlle Jean, will be succeeding Abdou Diouf as secretary general of la Francophonie," Harper told a news conference.

He said her victory also cast Canada in a positive light.

"It's a great reflection on our country, on the role we play in the francophone world, internationally, and the recognition of the importance of the French fact and the French reality in our own country."

Couillard hailed Jean, who was governor general between 2005 and 2010, as perfect for her new job.

"Michaëlle Jean is the incarnation of this new vision of la Francophonie: modern, young and dynamic," he said.

The next summit of la Francophonie will be held in Madagascar in 2016.

THE CANADIAN PRESS



Secretary-General of la Francophonie Abdou Diouf raises the hand of former governor general Michaëlle Jean as she celebrates upon being chosen as the new Secretary-General of la Francophonie during the international group's summit in Dakar, Senegal on Sunday. SEAN KILPATRICK/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Israeli-Canadian woman reportedly kidnapped by ISIL

An Israeli newspaper report says Islamist websites are claiming extremists have kidnapped an Israeli-Canadian woman who joined Kurdish fighters overseas.

The Jerusalem Post says reports of Gill Rosenberg's capture surfaced Sunday on websites "known to be close" to extremists from the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant

(ISIL). The newspaper says the websites give few details on the alleged kidnapping, only that it occurred after three suicide attacks on sites where Kurdish fighters were holed up.

A spokesman for Foreign Affairs says the government is aware of reports a Canadian citizen was kidnapped in Syria and is "pursuing all appropriate

channels to seek further information."

Clashes between ISIL and Kurdish troops have largely focused on the Syrian city of Kobani, near the Turkish border.

The now-notorious al-Qaida splinter group is currently in control of large swaths of territory in both Syria and Iraq.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Saudi Arabia

Canadian stabbed by Saudi: Reports

The official Saudi Press Agency says a Canadian

citizen was stabbed by a local man while he shopped in a mall with his family in the country's oil-rich Eastern Province.

The news agency, quoting a police spokesman, says the victim was transferred to a

hospital Saturday afternoon.

Police say they have arrested the Saudi man and are investigating. The break-away ISIL group has urged its supporters to launch attacks inside the kingdom.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



motorola x

OUR BEST PLAN EVER

The Cross-Canada Plan **\$44**/month

- Unlimited Data
- Unlimited Canada & US Talk
- Unlimited Global Text
- International Calling from 1¢/min
- Voicemail+
- Credits to use your phone across Canada

OFFER ENDS SOON

WIND
true mobile freedom™

Offer is valid as of November 2014 and are subject to change or cancellation without notice. All unlimited plan features are from anywhere on our network, otherwise long distance and roaming rates apply. The monthly service credits are applicable only for pay-per-use charges and monthly add-ons and are not valid toward your monthly plan fees (that is, the \$44/month plan fee), the cost of devices, or accessories. Any unused monthly credits will be forfeited and may not be carried over to the next month. The applied credits from this promotion may not be used toward the WIND Phone Protection Program. WIND may, from time to time, and without notice, determine that certain add-ons are not eligible for credits. All services subject to WIND's Terms of Service, Fair Usage Policy and Internet Traffic Management Policy and are for personal use by an individual. Applicable taxes extra. Additional terms and conditions apply. Learn more at WINDmobile.ca. Motorola is a registered trademark of Motorola Trademark Holdings, LLC. WIND, WIND MOBILE and TRUE MOBILE FREEDOM are trademarks of Wind Telecomunicazioni S.p.A and are used under license in Canada by Globalive Wireless Management Corp. © 2014 WIND Mobile



First Nations drummers perform at a rally to celebrate the end of the Kinder Morgan survey work on Sunday. STEFANIA SECCIA/FOR METRO IN VANCOUVER

Pipeline furor winding down

Kinder Morgan. 'This is one battle,' says B.C. protester, vowing to fight and 'win this war'

Hundreds gathered on top of Burnaby Mountain near Vancouver on Sunday to wind down the latest, and most heated, protest against Kinder Morgan's proposed Trans Mountain pipeline project.

More than 120 arrests were made in a little over a week as Kinder Morgan conducted survey work on its preferred pipeline route through the mountain, which is home to a conservation area and Simon Fraser University.

On Sunday, protesters who camped out on the mountain and their supporters celebrated after the company completed its work and left the area over the weekend.

"This is one battle," said Rueben George of the Tsleil-Waututh Nation, program manager of Sacred Trust Institute, to the crowd. "This is one battle, and we will keep going until we win this war."

Burnaby-Douglas MP Kenney Stewart, who has been openly opposed to the Trans Mountain pipeline expansion, was in attendance to offer his support to the "protectors of the mountain."

On Thursday, the B.C. Supreme Court threw out civil contempt charges against most of those arrested because the company provided incorrect GPS co-ordinates when it initially sought an injunction to protect two work

Project

Trans Mountain is proposing a 1,150-kilometre pipeline expansion between Alberta and Burnaby. If approved, the twinned pipeline would increase capacity of the system from 300,000 barrels per day to 890,000.

sites. The court also denied Kinder Morgan an extension to the injunction, forcing it to pack up by Dec. 1.

"(Kinder Morgan) scored an own goal by getting the co-ordinates wrong on the GPS. They failed here," Stewart said.

"It doesn't give you much faith in their ability to build a \$5-billion pipeline. So it'll be up to them, what they're going to put our community through next."

The company removed equipment and supplies from two work sites on Saturday morning, according to a statement. It is confident it obtained sufficient data from two test holes to report back to the National Energy Board. Early results show Burnaby Mountain is a viable option for the project, Trans Mountain says.

"Ultimately, if the project is approved, there will be no surface disturbance on Burnaby Mountain because the tunnel, at its deepest point, will be approximately 160 metres below surface," the statement reads.

STEFANIA SECCIA/FOR METRO
IN VANCOUVER, WITH FILES FROM
THE CANADIAN PRESS

'Sensitive' information

Telecom disclosure of surveillance details worried officials: Memo

A move by telecommunications firms to be more forthcoming with the public about their role in police and spy surveillance could divulge "sensitive operational details," a senior Public Safety official warned in a classified memo.

Company efforts to reveal more about police and intelligence requests — even the disclosure of broad numbers — would require "extensive consultations with all relevant stakeholders," wrote Lynda Clairmont, senior assistant deputy minister of the national and cybersecurity branch.

Clairmont's note, released under the Access to Information Act, provided advice to deputy minister Francois Guimont on the eve of his one-

hour April 17 meeting with representatives of Telus Corp. to discuss specifically what information the company was allowed to tell the public about electronic surveillance activities.

Telus released a "transparency report" five months later, revealing it had received more than 103,000 official requests for information about subscribers in 2013.

Rogers Communications published a similar report in June — three months before

Telus — becoming the first of the major Canadian telecom firms to issue one. Bell Canada has yet to release a report.

The internal Public Safety memo sheds new light on tensions between government officials and industry amid pressure from privacy advocates and civil libertarians for details of the scope and nature of law-enforcement access to Canadians' subscriber information, phone calls and email messages.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

CELEBRATE ~~25~~ 23 DAYS OF DEALS!

AMAZING NEW DEALS EVERYDAY! DON'T MISS OUT!

MON. ONLY!

DECEMBER 1

No other discounts apply. While quantities last. No rain checks. No price adjustments on previous purchases. Money Cards cannot be redeemed on this offer.

Save 70%

14⁹⁹

Serta 2 pack pillows
Reg. 49.99 Standard/queen



100% cotton

2 pack

Save \$60

99⁹⁹

Omega Mega Mouth centrifugal juicer
Reg. 159.99



WATCH FOR TOMORROW'S DEAL **TUESDAY DEC. 2 ENTERTAIN WITH GORDON!**

Want a little more time to plan your shopping trip?
Sign up for Home Outfitters to get advance notice!

Not subscribed? Scan this with your smartphone or visit homeoutfitters.com to get Holiday Daily Deals & more!



Canada's **largest** kitchen, bed and bath superstore!

Sign up to receive our emails at homeoutfitters.com



IMPORTANT CUSTOMER INFORMATION: SELECTION & BRANDS WILL VARY BY STORE: All colours, patterns and styles may not be available in all stores. RAIN CHECKS AND SUBSTITUTIONS: If an advertised item is not yet available we will offer you your choice of a comparable substitution, (if available), or a rain check. In some instances (e.g. special purchases, power buys, clearance items, bonus with purchase or seasonal items) quantities may be limited, selection may vary by store and substitutes or rain checks cannot be given. Home Outfitters reserves the right to limit quantities. **10.4 H14** All references to regular price are to Home Outfitters' regular price product and does not include already reduced, clearance, Smart Buy, signature deals and items with .95 & .99 price endings unless otherwise specified. All prices in effect: **Monday, December 1st, 2014**, unless otherwise specified. Valid only at Home Outfitters. **Home Outfitters Outlet stores at Hwy. 401 & Weston Road, ON & New Westminster, B.C. may not have all offers in this flyer. Flyer offers not available in our Liquidation Stores at Square One Mississauga, ON & Abbotsford, B.C.** Contact store for details or visit <http://www.homeoutfitters.com/en/storelocator.html>. Product selection may vary online. Hudson's Bay, Hudson's Bay Credit, Home Outfitters, hbc.com and their associated designs are trademarks of the Hudson's Bay Company. Credit is extended by Capital One Bank (Canada Branch). Capital One® is a registered trademark of Capital One Financial Corporation. MasterCard and the MasterCard brand mark are registered trademarks of MasterCard International Incorporated. All marks used under licence. All rights reserved.



Black Friday Seat Sale.

Over 30,000 seats
on sale.



Five days, great deals.
No camping out necessary.

Save on flights and vacation packages
to select destinations in Canada, the
U.S., Mexico and the Caribbean.*

One-way fare from Edmonton
to Kelowna:

from
\$135.58[†] CAD Total price

Book by December 1, 2014 (11:59 p.m. MT)
for travel on select days from January 5 to
February 12, 2015.[†]

Find more great fares at
westjet.com/seat-sale
or call your travel agent.

WESTJET

***Black Friday Sale:** Seasonal start and end dates apply and are indicated in the booking flow. Book by December 1, 2014 (11:59 p.m. MT) for travel from January 5 to February 12, 2015. For Canadian and U.S. destinations, travel on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Saturdays. For Mexico and Caribbean destinations, travel on any day of the week where WestJet offers scheduled service. Fares and package prices on other days may be higher. Flights may not operate on certain days. Seat sale fares are discounted from WestJet's lowest regular fare, apply only to flights marketed and operated wholly by WestJet, and are not applicable when travelling with our codeshare, interline or other airline partners. Sale vacation packages are discounted by a reduction in the price of the air component of the package. For flights, fuel surcharge between \$22-\$45 per direction still applies to Air Miles™ redemption bookings. For vacation packages, fuel surcharge between \$44-\$90 round-trip still applies to Air Miles™ redemption bookings. Advance purchase required. Seats at these fares are limited and may not be available on all flights. Offer limited and subject to availability. New bookings only. Non-refundable.

†For Edmonton to Kelowna fare: Book by December 1, 2014 (11:59 p.m. MT) for travel on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Saturdays from January 5 to February 12, 2015. Advertised price is based on non-stop flights. **Air transportation charges:** Base Fare \$80, Other Air Transportation charges \$12. **Taxes, fees and charges:** Goods and Services Tax \$6.46, Air Travellers Security Charge \$7.12, Airport Improvement Fee \$30. Other restrictions may apply. See westjet.com/seat-sale for full seat sale details and travel restrictions.



Chili diner stands by Cosby despite sex assault allegations

Ben's Chili Bowl restaurant is seen in Washington, D.C. on Saturday. It's an old diner in the U.S. capital that's as beloved for its chili dogs as it is for its survival, having withstood devastating riots and economic lean years. Now it's standing by Bill Cosby, its longtime customer whose face is plastered all over the place. Cosby has been eating at Ben's Chili Bowl for over a half-century. In fact, he's part of the decor. A huge mural outside has his face on it; the wall inside has his photos up; and there's a sign behind the cash register that says he eats for free. That won't change with a string of sexual-assault allegations. The owners say they have no plans to scrub Cosby off the walls or the sign behind the cash that says, "People who eat free: Bill Cosby, President Obama/Family. And no one else." ALEXANDER PANETTA/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Ferguson cop did not get severance

Michael Brown.

Darren Wilson left
the city's force after
threats against him
stirred fears of police,
community safety

Quoted

"In terms of what it (the resignation) means, it means at this point he doesn't have a paycheque. He has no income so he'll have to make some decisions pretty quickly."

Neil Bruntrager, Darren Wilson's lawyer

Ferguson police Officer Darren Wilson did not receive a severance package when he resigned over the weekend, the St. Louis suburb's mayor said Sunday.

Wilson, 28, won't receive any further pay or benefits, and he and the city have

severed their ties, Mayor James Knowles told reporters a day after Wilson tendered his resignation, which was effective immediately.

Wilson, who is white, had been on administrative leave since he killed Michael Brown, an unarmed black 18-year-old, during an Aug. 9

confrontation. A grand jury decided Monday not to indict him, sparking days of sometimes violent protests in Ferguson and other cities.

Wilson wrote in his resignation letter that his "continued employment may put the residents and police officers of the City of Ferguson at

risk, which ... I cannot allow."

His lawyer, Neil Bruntrager, told The Associated Press that Wilson decided to step aside after police Chief Tom Jackson told him about the alleged threats on Saturday.

"The information we had was that there would be actions targeting the Ferguson (police) department or buildings in Ferguson related to the police department," Bruntrager said.

He said Wilson, who had worked for the department less than three years, and the city was already discussing an exit strategy.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



Pope Francis FILIPPO MONTEFORTE, POOL/
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Pope hopeful for reunification

Pope Francis said Sunday he is ready to go anywhere, anytime to meet with the head of the Russian Orthodox Church — even while acknowledging that he doubts the day will ever come that Catholic and Orthodox theologians will agree to end the 1,000-year schism.

Francis spoke to reporters Sunday en route home from

Turkey, where he made a remarkable gesture of deference to the spiritual leader of the world's Orthodox Christians by bowing down to receive his blessing. Francis also assured Turkey's Orthodox community that the Catholic Church wouldn't force the Orthodox to give up their patrimony on the path to unity.

Asked about prospects of meeting with Patriarch Kirill, head of the Russian Orthodox Church, Francis said both wanted to meet.

"I said I'll go wherever you want — you call me and I'll go. And he also has the same desire," Francis said. "We do want to meet. We want to go forward." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



Nearly 1,000 activists marched during Sunday's gay-rights parade in New Delhi, India, demanding an end to discrimination against gays in India's deeply conservative society. TSERING TOPGYAL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Indians take to the streets for gay rights

'We feel our rights are being violated.'
Hundreds march in rally, demand an end to colonial-era ban

Nearly 1,000 gay-rights activists marched through central New Delhi on Sunday to demand an end to discrimina-

tion against gays in India's deeply conservative society.

Holding balloons, flags and placards, activists and their supporters sang songs and danced to the beat of Indian drums as they held hands and walked in the annual rally.

Indian gays are demanding that the government remove a colonial-era law banning same-sex relations. India's Supreme Court last year re-

versed a lower-court order that decriminalized gay sex, a decision originally made in 2009.

"Living in India, a democratic country, we feel our rights are being violated as we are not allowed to live as we want," said Rudrani Chettri, a gay man wearing a red and black sari, the dress typically worn by Indian women.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



Police and protesters clash in Hong Kong

Police officers throw a pro-democracy protester on the main road outside the government headquarters in Hong Kong on Sunday. Hundreds of protesters faced off with police late Sunday night, stepping up their movement for genuine democratic reforms after being camped out on the city's streets for more than two months.

KIN CHEUNG/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CANADA WIDE INVENTORY Clearance SALE!

\$10,000 Cash GIVEAWAY!!!

Fresh Trade Door Crasher

 2014 CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY TOURING STK. #1487261 \$20,988	 2013 CHRYSLER 300 LEATHER/PANORAMIC SUNROOF STK. #1381380 \$19,988	 2014 JEEP WRANGLER UNLIMITED SAHARA STK. #1487464 \$32,988	 2013 RAM 1500 Q/C 4X4 SLT HEMI STK. #1386879 \$22,988	 2008 Hyundai Tiburon GS STK. #0873604 \$3,434			
 2013 FORD FOCUS SE STK. #1389998 \$11,938	 2012 MAZDA 3 GS SUNROOF STK. #1204807 \$12,456	 2013 CHEVROLET IMPALA LS STK. #1389998 \$12,992	 2006 JEEP COMMANDER LIMITED HEMI, LOADED STK. #0606178 \$13,353	 2013 DODGE AVENGER SXT ALLOY WHEELS STK. #1389998 \$14,208	 2013 HYUNDAI SONATA GLS STK. #1384824 \$14,451	 2012 KIA OPTIMA LX ALLOY WHEELS STK. #1389998 \$16,267	 2013 DODGE CHARGER SE STK. #1389998 \$17,855
 2013 JEEP COMPASS SPORT 4X4 STK. #1389998 \$18,155	 2014 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN STK. #1487385 \$19,602	 2013 FORD ESCAPE SE AWD ECO BOOST STK. #1389998 \$20,155	 2013 DODGE DURANGO SXT AWD 7 PASS STK. #1389998 \$25,360	 2010 CHRYSLER 300 SRT8 STK. #1389998 \$26,364	 2014 FORD MUSTANG PREMIUM CONVERTIBLE STK. #1487385 \$27,108	 2011 FORD F150 CREW 4X4 FX4 ECO BOOST STK. #1389998 \$27,304	 2014 RAM 1500 Q/C 4X4 SLT HEMI STK. #1484454 \$27,921
 2013 GMC YUKON SLE AWD STK. #1389998 \$30,433	 2014 MERCEDES C300 4 MATIC STK. #1487385 \$34,001	 2014 RAM 1500 CREW 4X4 HEMI OUTDOORSMAN STK. #0723787 \$31,459	 2014 GMC ACADIA SLE AWD STK. #1487385 \$31,815	 2011 FORD F150 CREW 4X4 HARLEY DAVIDSON EDITION STK. #1389998 \$37,126	 2014 JEEP WRANGLER SAHARA LIFTED STK. #1487385 \$37,131	 2013 RAM 1500 CREW 4X4 LARAMIE NAV/LED STK. #1389998 \$41,919	 2013 GMC 2500 CREW 4X4 DURAMAX STK. #1389998 \$50,459

VISIT US ONLINE AT WWW.CWAS.CA

toll free **1.866.310.5751**

780.483.7516

10212 - 178 St. Edm

Monday - Friday 9 - 9, Saturday 9 - 6, Sunday 11 - 5

AT THE TIME OF PRINT ALL LISTED VEHICLES WERE IN STOCK. EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN OTHERWISE, ALL VEHICLES ARE SOLD "AS IS". THE DEALER MAKES NO WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, REGARDING THE CONDITION OR PERFORMANCE OF ANY VEHICLE. THE DEALER'S LIABILITY IS LIMITED TO THE CASH PRICE PAID FOR THE VEHICLE. THE DEALER'S LIABILITY IS LIMITED TO THE CASH PRICE PAID FOR THE VEHICLE. THE DEALER'S LIABILITY IS LIMITED TO THE CASH PRICE PAID FOR THE VEHICLE.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CONDUCTORS EDMONTON REQUISITION # 35944

Tired of the same old thing?

At Canadian Pacific you can be part of something historic. You have a chance to make a difference, to see Canada, and build a future.

Canadian Pacific is one of Canada's most iconic companies. We move the goods that keep the world turning, and we're on our way to doing it better than anyone else. To get there, CP is looking for some adaptable, hard-working, safety-conscious, and results-driven people to join our force of conductors.

You don't need:

Railroading experience
Connections

You do need:

Great Attitude
Willingness to learn
To work in and around Edmonton

Competition closes on December 31, 2014

For additional information on Canadian Pacific and this career opportunity, visit us online at www.cpr.ca.

Only those candidates contacted will be considered. All communication will be directed to the email address you use on your online application form.

The journey has begun but is far from over.



CANADIAN PACIFIC

U.S. case probes limits of free speech on the Internet

Social media.

Pennsylvania man convicted after posting rap lyrics on Facebook about his estranged wife

Anthony Elonis claimed he was just kidding when he posted a series of graphically violent rap lyrics on Facebook about killing his estranged wife, shooting up a kindergarten class and attacking an FBI agent.

But his wife didn't see it that way. Neither did a federal jury.

Elonis, who's from Bethlehem, Pa., was convicted of violating a federal law that makes it a crime to threaten another person.

In a far-reaching case that probes the limits of free speech over the Internet, the Supreme Court on Monday was set to consider whether Elonis' Facebook posts, and others like it, deserve protection under the First Amendment.



Pennsylvania man Anthony Elonis was convicted of violating a U.S. federal law that makes it a crime to threaten another person after posting a series of violent rap lyrics on Facebook about killing his estranged wife. AFP/GETTY IMAGES

Elonis argues that his lyrics were simply a crude and spontaneous form of expression that should not be considered threatening if he did not really

mean it. The government says it does not matter what Elonis intended and that the true test of a threat is whether his words make a reasonable

Rap lyrics

"There's one way to love you but a thousand ways to kill you. I'm not going to rest until your body is a mess ..."

A Facebook post by Anthony Elonis about his estranged wife

person feel threatened.

The case has drawn widespread attention from free-speech advocates who say comments on Facebook, Twitter and other social media can be hasty, impulsive and easily misinterpreted. They point out that a message on Facebook intended for a small group could be taken out of context when viewed by a wider audience.

Elonis was convicted of making threats of violence and sentenced to nearly four years in federal prison. A federal appeals court rejected his claim that his comments were protected by the First Amendment. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

'Make or break.' Retailers push online over more traditional holiday ads

Retailers spend millions over the holiday period to get consumers to open their wallets.

But those advertising campaigns are increasingly allocating more funds to targeting online shoppers, in addition to traditional newspaper ads, radio and television commercials and glossy catalogues.

"Retailers now have ... many different places where they need to touch the consumer, and more of the overall spend is clearly going into the digital market and less ... is being spent on traditional marketing," said Lori Schafer, an executive adviser at SAS Institute's Retail Practice.

Retail sales in Canada are expected to hit \$46.8 billion

40 per cent of annual sales

For Indigo Books & Music, holiday sales account for up to 40 per cent of the company's annual sales and about the same proportion of its annual marketing budget.

in December, up five per cent from last year, according to a study released by Colliers International. "(Retailers) want to have their message available (online), and it's basically fishing where the fish are," said David Rosenberg, chief creative officer at advertising and marketing firm Bensimon Byrne.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Switzerland. Voters against hoarding gold, limiting immigration

Swiss voters overwhelmingly rejected three citizen-backed proposals to protect the country's wealth by investing in gold, drastically limit immigration and eliminate a special tax that draws rich foreigners.

The separate proposals — put to voters nationwide Sunday by conservative politicians, ecologists and a liberal group — needed a majority of voters and Switzerland's 26 cantons (states) to pass. A proposal to require the central bank to hold a fifth of its reserves in gold was opposed by 77.3 per cent of voters, according to final results from Swiss broadcaster SRF. It would have forced the Swiss National Bank (SNB) to buy massive amounts of gold with-

Nationwide vote

A proposal to limit immigration to 0.2 per cent of Switzerland's population — about 16,000 immigrants a year for a country of 8 million — was opposed by 74.1 per cent of voters. None of the cantons came out in favour. Currently, immigration is estimated at around 80,000 a year.

in five years. Finance Minister Eveline Widmer-Schlumpf said the vote reflects confidence in the SNB and the view that gold is no longer as important as it once was as a tool to back up paper money. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

NEED MONEY?

\$300 - \$1500

- No credit checks
- No upfront fees

CALL NOW!

1-866-499-5629
WWW.MYNEXTPAY.CA

Your opinion matters!

Share your opinion on ads that run in Metro by joining the RAM panel at metronews.ca/panel.

Go to metronews.ca/panel and join today

FLASH DEALS WEEK ON NOW

ENDS DECEMBER 8



Earn travel rewards up to 4x faster.¹

No annual fee for the first year. Plus, get 20,000 bonus points, **good for \$200 in travel.²**

With the Scotiabank™ Gold American Express® Card, you'll enjoy the freedom and flexibility to redeem points before or after your trip with no blackouts, seat restrictions or booking fees.

www.scotiabank.com/4xfaster

You're richer
than you think.®



** Registered trademarks of The Bank of Nova Scotia. ® American Express is a registered trademark of American Express. This credit card program is issued and administered by The Bank of Nova Scotia under license from American Express.
¹ You will earn 4 points per \$1 on the first \$50,000 in purchases made annually at American Express merchants classified in the American Express network as: Gas Service Stations (with or without Ancillary Services and with Merchant Code: 5541) and Automated Fuel Dispensers (Merchant Code: 5542); Grocery Stores and Supermarkets (Merchant Code: 5411); Eating Places and Restaurants (Merchant Code: 5812); Drinking Places (Alcoholic Beverages) including Bars, Taverns, Nightclubs, Cocktail Lounges, and Discotheques (Merchant Code: 5813); Fast Food Restaurants (Merchant Code: 5814); Entertainment including Motion Picture Theaters (Merchant Code: 7832), Theatrical Producers (except Motion Pictures) and Ticket Agencies (Merchant Code: 7922), Bands, Orchestras and Miscellaneous Entertainers – Not Elsewhere Classified (Merchant Code: 7929). Some merchants may sell these products/services or are separate merchants who are located on the premises of these merchants, but are classified by American Express in another manner, in which case this added benefit would not apply. You will earn 1 point per \$1 on purchases made after you have reached the 4 points per \$1 \$50,000 annual spend maximum and on all other purchases made with the card. Points are not awarded for cash advances, Scotia Credit Card Cheques, Scotia Rewards Dollars, returns, payments, casinos and gambling, annual membership or card fees, interest charges or service transaction charges. ² The introductory annual fee waiver only applies to the initial annual fee for the primary and additional cards. The Scotiabank Gold American Express Card regular interest rate is 19.99% for purchases. For cash advances, balance transfers and Scotia Credit Card Cheques the interest rate is 21.99%. The regular annual fee is \$99 per year for the first card issued on the account; additional cards are charged an annual fee of \$29 per year per card when issued regardless of card activation and will be billed to your first statement and once a year thereafter. Any additional cards must be issued by February 28, 2015, to qualify for the offer. The 20,000 Scotia Rewards bonus points are awarded when you use your Scotiabank Gold American Express Card for at least \$1,000 in net purchases posted to your account in the first three months from the account open date and provided the account is open and in good standing. Net purchases are defined as the cost of goods and services purchased on your credit card account, less amounts credited for refunds on such purchases. The points will appear as an adjustment on your Scotiabank Gold American Express Card statement within two statement cycles after the third billing cycle has passed. Offer applies to new accounts opened by February 28, 2015. Rates and fees are as of September 1, 2013 and are subject to change without notice.

FLASH



DEALS WEEK ON NOW

CYBER SALE

FREE SHIPPING ON ALL CYBER OFFERS

ENDS
DEC 8

TODAY'S DEALS

**FREE SINGLE VISION
CLEAR LENS UPGRADES**

INCLUDES OUR THINNEST, LIGHTEST **ULTRA THIN AIR LENSES**

**SAVE 50% ON
SPECIALTY LENSES**

INCLUDES PROGRESSIVES, TRANSITIONS®, & PRESCRIPTION SUNGLASSES LENSES

STARTING TOMORROW

**A NEW DEAL EVERY DAY
ON DESIGNER EYEWEAR**



ClearlyContacts.ca™

THE BETTER WAY TO BUY EYEWEAR



ONLINE
clearlycontacts.ca/metro



CALL
1-866-414-2326



IN STORE
Toronto & Vancouver

FLASH DEALS WEEK ON NOW

ENDS DECEMBER 8

metro

16

metronews.ca
Monday, December 1, 2014

VOICES

OIL IS NOT WELL

Back when oil was fetching \$100 a barrel, money flowed in Edmonton and life was good. But with the price plummeting in recent months, will politicians make the right moves to protect our local economy?



TERRENCE HARDING
edmonton@metronews.ca

One of the most quoted statements by Wayne Gretzky is "Skate where the puck is going, not where it has been."

It's been applied to any number of circumstances. But I have to ask myself if it's being applied at city hall. Are the powers that be planning for where the economy is going or are they planning for where it has been?

Where the economy has been is pretty obvious. Our province and our city have grown at an astonishing rate in the past few years. Much of that growth has come because of the oil sands, conventional oil and natural gas.

Like it or not, all of us have benefited in some way by the sale of our province's fossil fuels.

In the past few years, much of Edmonton's economic growth has been fuelled by oil being at or near \$100 per barrel. If you doubt that, take a drive around the perimeter of the city and look at how many small and large businesses we have that exist primarily to service the energy industry. We are an energy town.

The long-term effects of \$65 (or lower) per barrel on Edmonton may not be so positive.

There's no doubt the provincial government



An oil worker holds raw sand bitumen near Fort McMurray. JEFF MCINTOSH/THE CANADIAN PRESS FILE

is going to have to make some hard decisions if low oil prices persist.

The premier is on record as saying that, though there will be no new taxes, core services will be protected and the government will act with fiscal prudence. We're going to be able to

survive low energy prices, but it's not going to be easy on anyone.

So again, I have to ask myself if city hall is now adopting a fiscally prudent approach as it plans for the future.

Is it skating to where the puck is going to be,

We've faced bigger crises

Alberta led the nation in housing foreclosures, bankruptcies and suicides. That was an ugly, ugly time.

not where the puck has been?

If it's banking on being able to go to the provincial government for increased funding, it may just find the cupboard bare.

That would leave only one other source of increased revenue: you and me. Increasing civic taxes and fees in a booming economy is one thing; doing so in a slumping economy is quite another.

I am not expecting our short-term economic future to be as dramatic as the near collapse of our economy in the early 1980s, when we saw unemployment jump from four to 10 per cent almost overnight.

Alberta led the nation in housing foreclosures, bankruptcies and suicides. That was an ugly, ugly time.

However, right now the short-term economic future of Edmonton is being determined on the world stage, and we should all take notice of that and plan accordingly.

World AIDS Day



DEVASTATION SPURRED US INTO ACTION

Dr. Julio Montaner

Dr. Julio Montaner, the world-renowned AIDS researcher and director of the British Columbia Centre for Excellence in HIV/AIDS, remembers what it was like to walk the streets of Vancouver at the height of the outbreak in the 1980s and '90s.

"The first decade or two was really devastating. It was a bit scary to walk down Davie Street," said Montaner, referring to the city's gay district. "There was a lot of AIDS walking around, a lot of sick people."

At that time, patients — mostly gay men, then — were being ostracized, discriminated against and stigmatized. For Montaner, it was the sight of real human suffering on the streets and the chance to learn from advocates that helped turn the tables and change the culture surrounding the disease.

"It had an effect on you," said Montaner, chief architect of the UN's new 90-90-90

strategy to end the AIDS epidemic by 2030.

Much of the fear and paranoia in the gay community gave way to tolerance and education, allowing researchers and health-care workers to attack the virus. Patients are living longer lives thanks to Montaner and his team, who championed advances in the form of highly active antiretroviral therapy (to reduce viral loads) and the Treatment as Prevention model (to cut the spread of the disease). The latest advancement is a regimen of drugs that can be taken proactively, preventing patients (those that can afford it) from contracting the virus. As a result, new AIDS cases in Canada have dropped 90.6 per cent since 1993, when the country reported a record 1,833 cases.

Montaner has been calling for the federal government to adopt his strategies on a national level to reach affected and often marginalized groups.



SHIFT DOESN'T EXTEND TO THOSE HIT HARDEST

Jessica St. Jean

Despite the medical progress being made treating patients and reducing the spread of HIV/AIDS, cultural stigmas still prevent many populations from accessing proper education, testing and medical services.

"HIV, in the minds of people, is as serious as it has ever been," said Jessica St. Jean, manager of the indigenous education program at YouthCo, a Vancouver organization that strives to reduce the impact of HIV among youth.

"There is still so much stigma and fear around sex and sexuality and HIV."

While gay communities in urban centres have plenty of education and medical resources available to them, other demographics aren't so lucky.

First Nations, gay people in rural communities, drug addicts and sex-trade

workers are underserved and even criminalized in many cases.

"(Yet) marginalized populations are the ones most affected by HIV," said St. Jean.

For example, the rate of positive HIV test reports in Saskatchewan has suddenly skyrocketed to 17 per 100,000 people as of 2012, three times the national average.

That spike is largely attributed to drug use within aboriginal communities.

"Just getting tested is a barrier outside the cities," said St. Jean, adding education is woefully lacking, along with resources.

"I'm indigenous and come from a small town; it's well known if you go to a hospital you won't be treated as well because of the colour of your skin."

metro

Star Media Group President John Cruickshank • Vice-President & Group Publisher, Metro Western Canada Steve Shroot • Vice-President & Editor-in-Chief, Metro English Canada Cathrin Bradbury • National Deputy Editor Fernando Carneiro • National Deputy Editor, Digital Quin Parker • Managing Editor, Edmonton Darren Krause • Managing Editor, Features Amber Shortt • Managing Editor, Canada, World, Business Matt LaForge • Managing Editor, Life & Entertainment Dean Lisk • Sales Manager Cheryl Skogg • Distribution Manager David Mak • Vice President, Content & Sales Solutions Tracy Day • Vice-President, Creative & Marketing Services Jeff Smith • Vice-President, Finance Phil Jameson • METRO EDMONTON Suite 2070, 10123 - 99 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 3H1 • Telephone: 780-702-0592 • Fax: 780-701-0356 • Advertising: 780-702-0592 • adinfoedmonton@metronews.ca • Distribution: edmonton_distribution@metronews.ca • News tips: edmonton@metronews.ca • Letters to the Editor: edmontonletters@metronews.ca

DVD review



Dawn of the Planet of the Apes

Director. Matt Reeves

Stars. Andy Serkis, Jason Clarke, Gary Oldman

In title and spirit, it evokes the Dawn of Man opening sequence of Stanley Kubrick's 2001: A Space Odyssey, an obvious influence on director Matt Reeves. In the Kubrick movie, as in this one, the introduction of calculating thought and destructive weaponry bring drastic change to peaceful simian lives — and human ones, too.

Dawn builds on Rise of the Planet of the Apes (2011), picking up the prequel story about a decade after mankind has been devastated by a simian flu unleashed just as smart apes have revolted against human oppressors.

Andy Serkis again stars as lead ape Caesar, the most intellectually and emotionally evolved of the apes, having grown not just as a rebel and leader but now also as a father and family figure.

Caesar can understand the need of the surviving band of humans — led by Jason Clarke and Gary Oldman — to restore order by reactivating a hydro power plant in ape territory outside a ruined San Francisco. But rivals amongst both apes and humans conspire against him.

The thoughtfulness isn't at the expense of action, which the movie delivers with impressive 3D and motion-capture power. **PETER HOWELL**



The Polar Sea follows amateur sailors through the Northwest Passage in a 10-hour TV documentary and an interactive online video and magazine. CONTRIBUTED

See Arctic voyage on TV, online or in virtual reality

Multimedia. The Polar Sea borrows Netflix strategies as it tracks amateur sailors on journey through the Northwest Passage

It's a 10-part TV documentary series, an interactive web doc, an online magazine and an experiment in the emerging field of virtual reality.

The producers behind The Polar Sea, which follows a trio of middle-aged amateur sailors on an ambitious and arduous voyage through the Northwest Passage, don't really care how you experience their investigation into climate change.

But they are proud that

the documentary, is getting so much airtime — on TVO in Ontario starting on Monday. New episodes air every weeknight for two weeks. The series will also be available for all Canadians to stream at two.org/polarsea. Borrowing a strategy from Netflix, all 10 episodes will go online on Monday for binge watchers.

It was decided early on that the TV doc would be just one part of the story, says producer Kevin McMahon of Toronto-based Primitive Entertainment, who notes that the Canada-German co-production involved five film crews shooting over the course of four months.

"I think everybody in this business is now looking at finding a way to speak to as broad an audience as possible

Climate change

Producer Kevin McMahon says the doc looks at climate change through the Arctic because it's changing faster than anywhere else in the world. "Ten or 15 years ago, it would've been impossible for me or you to sail through the Northwest Passage."

and, increasingly, that means speaking through different platforms. We're trying to offer as many doors into the story as we possibly can."

Production company Deep 360 created an interactive 30-minute online companion documentary with 360-degree video. In a web browser, users

can zoom, pan up or down, or spin the camera angle around as the documentary plays. In one incredible scene, viewers are on a beach as the Northern Lights glow overhead.

"Everyone had this wish to create something on the interactive side in tandem with the series that would allow people to actually experience the Arctic," says Deep 360 founder Thomas Wallner.

The interactive documentary is also compatible with soon-to-be-released virtual reality devices, including the Facebook-owned Oculus Rift and Samsung's Gear VR.

For those who want to go really deep into the subject, there's also an interactive online magazine — available in English, French or German.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

2 SCENE

Your opinion matters!

Share your opinion on ads that run in Metro by joining the RAM panel at metronews.ca/panel.

metro

Go to metronews.ca/panel and join today

Adventure! Teach English Overseas

- TESOL Certified in 5 Days
- In-Class or Online
- No Degree Required!

1.888.270.2941

Job Guaranteed!

Next In-Class Course: January 16th - 18th, 23rd - 25th, 2015
Next Seminar: December 16th, 2014 @ 7pm
Roots on Whyte Building (8135 102 Street, Edmonton)

www.globaltesol.com

MR HAKEEM

RENOWNED AFRICAN MEDIUM + CLAIRVOYANT

Love Specialist, Resolves All Problems, Business Success, Release From Spells, Court Cases, Exams, Protection, Family Problems, Bad Luck, Impotency, Reunite Lovers Forever, Even Hopeless Cases.

20 Years Experience - Quick Results

780.497.7757

On Jasper Avenue

Download this! Metro gives you its weekly picks for the best in gaming, apps and ebooks



MIND THE APP
Kris Abel
@RealKrisAbel
scene@metronews.ca

Ebooks

The Secret History of Wonder Woman

By. Jill Lepore

Kindle/iBooks/Kobo

Wonder Woman is the culmination of creator William Marston's life. She reflects his role in the suffragette and feminist movements, the self-described Amazons he lived with, and his invention of the lie detector test. Filled with vintage illustrations, this detailed account charts his creation of comic's most enduring super heroine.



App

Monty's Xmas



iPhone/iPad
Free

Waddle through the holiday season with this interactive tale and card maker featuring viral Internet hit Monty the penguin. Although inspired by an ad, this is a charming kid's book.

Video game

Name. Far Cry 4

For. PS3/PS4/Xbox 360/
Xbox One/PC

Rated. Mature 17+

Deranged animal attacks and incessant gunfire almost spoil this go-anywhere, do-anything adventure, where the mystical lands of India are simulated so extensively you need ATVs, hang gliders, and helicopters just to get around. Given the freedom to play missions in any style, it's impressive how well it adapts.



Millions of video-game players already use streaming services such as PlayStation Now or Nvidia Grid. ISTOCK

Serious computer gamers are jumping to the cloud

Video gaming. Streaming services turn any computer, console or tablet into a high-end game machine

As many as 150 million people will be streaming video games over the Internet by the end of next year, pre-

dicts market research firm Strategy Analytics.

Accessing serious games used to require a serious PC, a PlayStation 4 or an Xbox One. But any computer or tablet can become gaming devices if the heavy graphics and processing are done in the cloud.

However, streaming does require high-speed Internet access and may result in lower-quality graphics. **AFP**

Console wars

One reason PlayStation4 is outselling Xbox One is Sony's cloud gaming service. It lets owners stream their favourite games from older PlayStations to the new console, even though physical copies are not compatible on the new console.

Holiday Afternoon with Angelina Ballerina

**MEET
ANGELINA BALLERINA
LIVE!**

CHRISTMAS CRAFTS

FACE PAINTING

SLEIGH RIDES (2pm - 5pm)

AND MORE!

**SATURDAY
DEC 06 | 2 PM - 6 PM**



BONNIEDOON CENTRE

bonniedoonshoppingcentre.com

follow us on



ANGELINA BALLERINA © HELEN CRAIG LTD. AND KATHARINE HOLABIRD. ALL RIGHTS RESERVED.

**Fly to Cairo, from Toronto connecting to the
Middle East, Far East and Africa**



Connections available from all Canadian cities

Toronto: (416) 960-0009
Montreal: (514) 875-9990

egyptair.com





Chris McCandless took this self-portrait in front of the bus where he lived in the last months of his life. CONTRIBUTED

Exploring the darkness behind Into the Wild

Books. Sister of Chris McCandless hopes new revelations about their upbringing will help explain her brother's fatal Alaskan odyssey

JENNIFER PRITTE

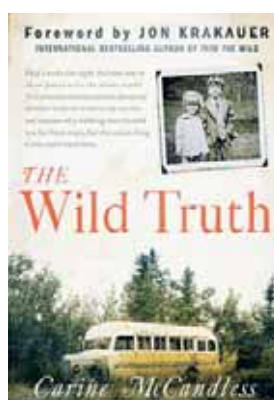
jennifer.prittie@metronews.ca

It's hard to find someone who doesn't have an opinion about Chris McCandless. You likely already know the bare bones of his story: Young hiker walks into the Alaskan wilderness with a .22-calibre rifle and a 10-pound bag of rice, determined to live off the land, test his own mettle and come to grips with some weighty questions. Several months later, his emaciated body is found by hunters in an abandoned bus, along with a diary of his increasingly futile efforts to survive.

What would drive anyone to take such a risk? Author Jon Krakauer did his best to answer that in a high-profile article for Outside magazine, then in the highly regarded 1996 book *Into the Wild*.

Chris, it transpired, was a top student and athlete from a well-off Washington, D.C.-area family who was poised for success, but instead chose to renounce material goods, a career and, at times, society. Upon graduating from university, he had donated his savings to charity, burned his cash and set out on the road. His family didn't hear from him again.

The book was notably even-handed, but it provoked a staggeringly wide range of interpretation. To this day, Mc-



Candless debates still run at fever pitch online. As Krakauer writes in the introduction to *The Wild Truth*, a new memoir by Chris's younger sister Carine, "A lot of people came away from reading *Into the Wild* without grasping why Chris did what he did. Lacking explicit facts, they concluded that he was merely self-absorbed, unforgivably cruel to his parents, mentally ill, suicidal and/or witless."

The piece of the story that was missing, Carine now explains, is that she and Chris grew up in a home rife with domestic and emotional abuse, all while being forced by their parents to maintain the facade of a harmonious Christian family. "I would definitely say that the psychological things that we went through were more devastating than the physical things," she says in an interview. "Much more so. Those are the things that drove Chris out."

She says she told Krakauer all this while he was researching his book, so he would better understand her brother, but made him promise to keep the details out of print. "I really

Quoted

"I just want people to have the facts. If it doesn't change their opinion about Chris, that's OK."

Carine McCandless, on the revelations in her memoir *The Wild Truth*

wanted to spare my parents, because I really felt that they would learn — obviously, I expected them to learn from Chris's death, because I couldn't imagine how they could not."

They didn't learn, by her account, and instead maintained their position that the family life had been fine — one reason that Carine became more open about their upbringing over the years, she says. By the time of the 2007 film adaptation by Sean Penn, she, too, had essentially cut off contact with her parents.

But her main motivation in going public has to do with the students she's met since *Into the Wild* was published. The book is required reading at many U.S. schools, and in going to speak at those schools, she found that students and teachers reacted differently when they knew the backstory. She realized being open about the abuse was helping others in the same situation.

Given that, maybe it's petty to wonder whether the new revelations could ever change the shape of the battle over Chris's legacy. "I just want people to have the facts. If it doesn't change their opinion about Chris, that's OK," she says. "The greatest inspiration and the greatest lessons come from truth, so I want that truth to be out there."

LANDMARK Mazda

NOTHING EXTRA NOT EVEN THE TAXES

WHAT YOU SEE IS THE ACTUAL DRIVEAWAY PRICE

ALL IN - DRIVE AWAY!* P0385 2012 JEEP WRANGLER UNLIMITED SAHARA \$32,200	ALL IN - DRIVE AWAY!* P0391 2012 FORD F150 SUPERCREW 4X4 XLT \$27,600
ALL IN - DRIVE AWAY!* P0949 2011 DODGE RAM 4X4 CREW CAB BIG HORN \$26,800	ALL IN - DRIVE AWAY!* P0392 2011 FORD F150 XLT SUPERCREW 4X4 \$26,500

ALL VEHICLES COME WITH:

CARPROOF REPORT • COMPLETE USED VEHICLE INSPECTION
COMPLETE LIST OF ALL REPAIRS WE HAVE DONE

ALL IN - DRIVE AWAY!* P0950 2011 DODGE RAM 1500 QUAD CAB 4X4 \$23,700	ALL IN - DRIVE AWAY!* P0390 2011 CHEV EQUINOX AWD LT \$22,600
ALL IN - DRIVE AWAY!* P0384 2010 FORD RANGER FX4, AUTO \$20,800	ALL IN - DRIVE AWAY!* P0386 2008 FORD ESCAPE LIMITED \$13,400

WORRY FREE AND HASSLE FREE PRE-OWNED VEHICLES FROM LANDMARK MAZDA

LANDMARK Mazda

zoom-zoom

On the corner of 131 Ave & 97 st
1-888-393-0489
LANDMARKMAZDA.COM

EVERYONE APPROVED! INSTANT CREDIT! 780-476-6221

*Price includes sale price, GST, all dealer fees, inspections, and car proof. Vehicles may not be exactly as shown.



Taylor Swift ALL PHOTOS: GETTY IMAGES

Shake It Off, Matt: Taylor might still want you

Maybe you've never heard of British band The 1975, but apparently it's a thing and it has a lead singer named Matt Healy, who recently met Taylor Swift. And things apparently went really well — though Healy might have just ruined the whole thing with a single radio interview. "I met Taylor Swift — that was really nice," Healy said during a recent interview

with Shazam Top 20 radio. "We exchanged numbers. Let's see what happens."

I could tell you what's going to happen, Matt, but I don't want to spoil it. "I mean bloody hell, what am I going to do? Go out with Taylor Swift? She's a sensation, I wouldn't say no," Healy added. Oh Matt, buddy, I don't think that's up to you anymore.

Post-surgery Freddie Prinze Jr. clarifies that 'learnin to walk' thing

Outspoken She's All That and Star Wars Rebels star Freddie Prinze Jr. revealed on Twitter that he underwent spinal surgery recently, though he could have phrased the initial announcement better. On Wednesday he tweeted, "Learnin to walk again is like learning jiu-jitsu — one technique at a time" along with a photo of himself in a neck brace. The "learnin to walk" bit caused a bit of a stir, so Prinze had to clarify that he's just fine,



Freddie Prinze Jr.

tweeting, "I can walk fine. Just putting back together one step at a time."

METRO DISH

OUR TAKE ON THE WORLD OF CELEBRITIES

The Word



Shia LaBeouf says he was raped at art gallery

NED EHRBAR
Metro in Hollywood

Hey, remember earlier this year when Shia LaBeouf set himself up in a Los Angeles art gallery with a bag over his head to have staring contests with strangers for five days? Well, the actor says he was raped during the show. "One woman who came with her boyfriend — who was outside the door when this happened — whipped my legs for 10 minutes and then stripped my clothing and proceeded to rape me,"

LaBeouf says in an email interview with Dazed and Confused magazine. "Then (she) walked out with her lipstick smudged to her awaiting boyfriend who I imagine was quite hurt by it." To make things even more absurd, this happened when his girlfriend, Mia Goth, was coming to visit the show and he couldn't talk to her about it. "It was Valentine's Day and I was living in the gallery sleeping in a sleeping bag for the duration of the event," he explains. "We were separated for five days. No communication. So it really hurt her as well as I guess the news of it travelled through the line. She was only about 25 people back. When she came in she asked for an explanation and I couldn't speak so we both sat with this unexplained trauma silently. It was painful."



Mickey Rourke

Mickey Rourke's dubious boxing victory

A nearly unrecognizable Mickey Rourke took to the ring at age 62 to defeat a 29-year-old opponent during a boxing match in Russia over the weekend, and if it all sounds too good to be true, that's because it probably is. Footage from the bout shows Rourke levelling former California Golden Gloves champ Elliot Seymour with a couple of suspiciously weak-looking blows. Rourke

had a three-year boxing career that ended more than 20 years ago, and he says this victory is just the beginning, as he has another four fights planned. "I've got some things going on in my life so (boxing has) sort of saved me from myself," Rourke recently told Russian television. "And for a man like me, it's better to live in fear than go on in shame." Whatever works for you, buddy.

Twitter



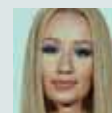
@SarahKSilverman

I have 3 spoons. I am a full grown woman & I own 3 spoons. Shouldn't I have like 10-12 spoons?



@ChloeGMoretz

Stealing pics from people's private accounts is rude and invasive. Just don't do it



@IGGYAZALEA

Santa snow spray is addictive. I'm spraying my entire house. F--- it.

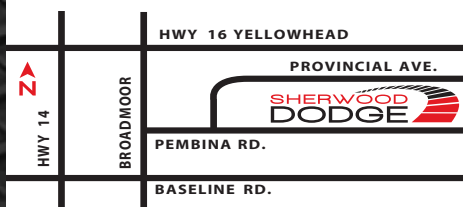


ON NOW
AT SHERWOOD PARK DODGE

CALL: 780.410.4100

SHERWOOD
DODGE
CHRYSLER JEEP RAM MOPAR

YELLOWHEAD & BROADMOOR



Frugality isn't the other F-word

Money management.

Hang-ups about conscious budgeting can get in the way of good financial plans



GAIL VAZ-OXLADE
Gail blogs daily at
gailvazoxlade.com

Do you think people who are more frugal are so because of necessity? Do they think frugality leads to wealth? Or are they just uptight weirdos who will do anything to save a buck?

Stories abound about the “millionaire next door” who drives the 20-year-old rust bucket and wears the same pants he bought in 1942.

And there are a wealth of anecdotes about people who clip coupons, hunt the deals, shop very carefully to save cents because that's the only way they can make ends meet.

But what about the people in the middle; the folks who have enough to make do and then some. How careful are they about how they spend their money? And what drives them to be frugal if they are?

I was sharing some apps I'd recently been talking about on TV with a bunch of women when one woman said with a great deal of disdain, “We don't need to be careful. We make more than enough money and I like not having to think about it.”

Another in the group responded, “Hey, I like the game. I love seeing how much I can save each month. It feels like a win!”

So which camp do you fall into?

- a) I don't even want to think about it
- b) I love the game
- c) I have no choice

I'm not a rabid bargain shopper. I like a good deal, but no deal is good enough to make me spend money for something I don't actually need or really, really want.

So hearing there's a sale on at the TV store isn't going to make me go looking at TVs. In fact, if I'm not looking for something in particular, no flyer is going to make me head to the store for new shoes, garden supplies or patio furniture.

In my book, sensible spending and solid money management are as import-



Do you worry if being frugal may be perceived as cheapness? ISTOCK

Technology tips

I have some good news: Technology has made it easier than ever to save money while shopping, so you have the money you need to meet goals like debt repayment, retirement savings, and saving for your kids' future education. Here are five of my faves:

1 Flipp: Find what's on sale and clip it straight to your shopping list. You know how I feel about shopping lists. Never leave home without one! No more toting around flyers so you can price match. And if you're looking for something in particular, just type it into the search function.

2 Checkout 51: A Canadian app, you take a picture of your receipt and submit it and

the products featured give you cash back without your having to clip a coupon. When your account hits 20 bucks, you ask for a cheque. Download CartSmart and SnapSaves and make your receipts do triple-duty!

3 Gasbuddy: Find the cheapest gas wherever you are and earn points for gas prices you report to the site. This is community shopping at its best.

4 Redlaser: Tired of hauling around all those loyalty cards? Download Redlaser and you won't have to. Need I say more?

5 BillMinder: Have trouble keeping track of when bills are due? This app is for you. See all your bills, record the date paid and even export to Excel. Nifty.

ant as how much moolah you're bringing in.

After all, if you spend every cent of your salary, no matter how enormous it may be, you will still wind up in Debt Hell.

Witness what happened in Alberta in the last couple of years as people's incomes skyrocketed and their ability to borrow went right on up, too.

Albertans have the highest level of debt in the country — so much for those great incomes — and their net worths are falling like a rock.

If you make the effort and take the time to watch your money, you can grow a pretty satisfying nest egg on a relatively small income.

That's where the “blue-collar millionaire” phenomenon was born. Once upon

a time, blue-collar workers were seen as just making ends meet.

Then financial institutions woke up to the reality that lots of people with average-Joe salaries had stockpiled quite the basketful of money simply by making saving a priority.

There are all kinds of reasons why people eschew frugality. Some folks hate the

Quoted

“If you make the effort and take the time to watch your money, you can grow a pretty satisfying nest egg on a relatively small income.”

idea of holding up the check-out line with their myriad coupons.

Others don't want people to think them “cheap.” Still others just can't be bothered with hauling around flyers for price matching or pulling out the right loyalty card to earn points.

Saving money should simply be a habit.

And when you find yourself becoming complacent — when you think you have so much money that you don't consider cost a factor in your purchase decision — it's time to pinch yourself.

You've wandered into dangerous territory.

3
LIFE

Future boss, welcome to my bachelor pad



OFFICE SPACE
Eleni Deacon
life@metronews.ca

Dear Metro,

I have a Skype interview this week for a new job. It's a big position, and I want to look professional. Problem is, I live in a crummy apartment with loud, nosy roommates. I'm afraid I'll be interrupted or come off like an unprepared kid. How can I make myself seem more polished?

— Incoming Call

Dear IC,

Skype interviews aren't an invitation to talk shop in your undershirt while eating Spaghettios. Treat it like an IRL assessment: Comb your hair, and be prepared.

Your home may not be the 11th-floor boardroom, but you can stage a neutral set-up. Keep your background simple: Blank walls

They're hiring you, not your home

If you do lose your Wi-Fi, keep cool; your prospective employers will be judging your reaction to stress more than your flaky Internet connection.

are best.

If your roommates are so reckless they can't respect a "PLEASE DO NOT DISTURB" text, consider renting a sealed meeting room at a shared workspace or library. Just make sure they have a solid Wi-Fi connection.

And on that note, remember that it's more about you than your surroundings.

If you do lose your Wi-Fi, keep cool; your prospective employers will be judging your reaction to stress more than your Internet connection.

Same goes for your roomies: If they bust onscreen wearing body paint and swinging a bottle of Jack Daniels, ask them to leave in a professional manner. Then eat their cookies later.

Dear Metro,

I share a small office with a really nice guy — who is also anal-retentively clean. He won't let me touch anything. He even gets finicky when my own desk gets cluttered! I'm the type of person who likes a little lived-in mess, and I'm finding his rules really aggravating. How can we find a middle ground?

— Must Maintain Some Mess

Dear MMSM,

He: likes Lysol wipes. You: want to work among knickknacks and paper stacks. The match is not ideal — but there are techniques to Swiffer your tensions away. How "alive" is your

"lived-in" disorder? If your corner is a dumping ground for empty Tim Hortons cups and, say, old copies of Metro circa 2012, the problem isn't him — it's you.

A certain level of professional cleanliness is expected at any office, and you first need to check your own mess.

If he's overly must-dust clean, set some boundaries. Your desk is your own office real estate, and he shouldn't get all twitchy if you leave some mail next to your phone. Respect the common areas, but explain, politely, that your brain functions better in clutter.

You could also make a schedule: Say you'll tidy once a week and stick to it. He can't fret on Monday when housekeeping day is Thursday. Or just let the guy clean. Saves you from doing it yourself.

ELENI DEACON IS A TORONTO-BASED WRITER WHO HAS SEEN IT ALL AS AN EAGER EMPLOYEE OF BIG OFFICES, SMALL OFFICES, HOME OFFICES AND ONE ITALIAN RESTAURANT.



If your only at-home interview option is to answer questions from a chaotic kitchen, consider seeking out a quiet meeting space in your community.

ISTOCK

UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA
FACULTY OF EXTENSION

CONTINUING STUDIES | PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT | LIFELONG LEARNING

WINTER/SPRING
2015

ambition

Thinking of part-time study?

UAlberta Extension offers continuing studies, professional development and lifelong learning.

- Community Engagement Studies
- Construction Administration
- English Language Program
- Environmental Resource Management
- Government Studies
- Languages
- Communications & Technology Graduate Program
- Management and Leadership Programs
- Management Seminars
- Occupational Health and Safety
- Residential Interiors
- Social Media Citations
- Spanish Language Certificate
- Visual Arts
- Writing and Editing

Register now for January classes.

780.492.3109 or 780.492.3116 | www.extension.ualberta.ca

SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS NEEDED



Steady part-time School Bus Drivers Needed. **FREE TRAINING.** Ideal for stay-at-home parents, retirees and the self-employed.

For more information call 780-377-2248, ext. 360 email canadajobs@firstgroup.ca or visit firstgroupcareers.com

An equal opportunity employer that values diversity

First Student

Your opinion matters!

Share your opinion on ads that run in Metro by joining the RAM panel at metronews.ca/panel.

metro

Go to metronews.ca/panel and join today

Be Employment Ready in Under a Year!

Choose from 8 programs in Business or Healthcare

ROBERTSON COLLEGE

Classes start soon! Get started at www.robertsoncollege.com or call 587.773.9405

300-10115 100A Street, Edmonton

When Pizza met Mac 'n' Cheese ...



COOK TIME
ABOUT 30 MINUTES

This recipe serves six. ROSE REISMAN

Pizza Mac 'n' Cheese Pie. Two fast food classics team up in one cheesy dish



ROSE REISMAN
For more, visit
rosereisman.com or
follow her on twitter
@rosereisman

Two of our favourite fast foods are pizza and mac 'n' cheese.

A little kitchen experimentation led to combining these two ideas into a healthier version, and my Pizza Mac 'n' Cheese Pie was born!

Instead of a doughy pizza crust, I use whole wheat penne pasta as the base and pour a lighter cheese sauce over top.

The cheese sauce combines evaporated milk and chicken stock thickened with flour. This eliminates the use of excess butter and higher fat milk.

Using an older, sharper

FLASH FOOD



From your fridge
to your table in
30 minutes or less

cheese allows you to use less, which also reduces the calories and fat.

This dish is easy to make and a great way to put a spin on meals already in heavy rotation at your household.

Pizza Mac 'n' Cheese Pie is sure to be a new family staple!

Directions

1. Preheat the oven to 375 F. Spray a 10 – 12-inch pie pan or skillet with vegetable oil.

2. Bring a large pot of water to a boil. Add penne and bring back to a boil, cooking for 8 minutes or just until tender. Drain pasta well and place in pie dish.

3. While the pasta is cooking, make sauce. Whisk together the flour, stock

and milk in a saucepan until smooth. Place the mixture over medium heat and cook, whisking constantly, for about 3 minutes or until the mixture is hot and slightly thickened.

4. Stir in the cheddar and Parmesan cheese and the mustard. Cook until the cheese melts, about 1

minute. Remove from the heat. Add the cheese sauce to pasta and toss to combine.

5. Flatten pasta in pie pan, top with tomato sauce, green peppers, tomatoes and grated mozzarella cheese. Bake for 25 minutes. Let rest for at least 5 minutes to make cutting easier.

Ingredients

• 375 g penne pasta (preferably whole wheat)

Cheese Sauce

• 2 tbsp all-purpose flour
• 3/4 cup chicken stock
• 3/4 cup canned evaporated milk (2%)
• 1 cup shredded aged light

cheddar cheese

• 1/4 cup grated Parmesan
• 1/2 tsp Dijon mustard

Topping

• 1/3 cup tomato sauce
• 1/2 cup sliced green peppers
• Handful of cherry tomatoes
• 1/3 cup grated mozzarella



Peace-of-mind comes standard.

Every Certified Mercedes-Benz comes with a standard Star-Certified warranty.

Mercedes-Benz
CERTIFIED

Certified. Affordable. Luxury.

Become the new owner of a Certified Pre-Owned Mercedes-Benz and benefit from:

- Reassurance: 150-point certification inspection
- Warranty: standard Star Certified warranty up to 6 years or 120,000 km
- Confidence: complete vehicle history report
- Security: 24-hour special roadside assistance
- Peace of mind: five day/500 km exchange privilege

For a complete listing, visit davidmorrisfinecars.com

0.9%*
for 24 months



Mercedes-Benz



2011 C 250 4matic™, \$25,888 Total price + GST

Stock # shown P11-11695

David Morris Fine Cars, 17407-111 Avenue, 780-484-9000, davidmorrisfinecars.com

Mercedes-Benz STAR DEALER

AMVIC

© 2014 Mercedes-Benz Canada Inc. *0.9% financing only available through Mercedes-Benz Financial Services on approved credit for a limited time. Available for 24 month finance on model year 2010-2013 Certified Mercedes-Benz excluding AMG (less than 140,000 km). Finance example based on a 2010 model: \$25,000 at 0.9% per annum equals \$704.12 per month for 24 months. Cost of borrowing is \$348.39 for a total obligation of \$25,348.39. Down payment may be required. Vehicle licence, insurance, registration and sales taxes are extra. Dealer may lease or finance for less. Offer may change without notice and cannot be combined with any other offers. See your authorized Mercedes-Benz dealer for details or call the Mercedes-Benz Customer Relations Centre at 1-800-387-0100. Offers end December 31st, 2014.

HEY EDMONTON!

THIS HOLIDAY, SAY...



AMY POEHLER

THE #1 *NEW YORK TIMES* BESTSELLER

#AmySaysYesPlease

Available Where Books Are Sold

 harpercollins.ca



Stampeders overturn Ticats' title hopes

CFL. Hamilton fans leave Vancouver with heavy hearts after late penalty on Banks' TD



**CAM
TUCKER**
Metro in Vancouver

No lead is safe in the CFL. It's a slogan the nine-team league prides itself on.

In a year when the quality of the product on the field was questioned and criticized, the 102nd Grey Cup had the makings of a blowout in the first half but produced another thrilling finish. At first, the underdog Hamilton Tiger-Cats looked like they were in for another embarrassing loss in the title game.

Their comeback attempt fell short. Brandon Banks, the speedy and small kick returner, appeared to score the go-ahead

Grey Cup Game

20	16
Stampeders	Tiger-Cats

touchdown late in the fourth quarter on a punt return.

A penalty for illegal block on the return nullified the

score. No touchdown. Banks, who got room to the outside and outran everyone to the end zone, was crushed. He put his hands to his face and fell to the turf.

The Calgary Stampeders, so dominant in the opening half, held on by a final score of 20-16 before a crowd of 52,056 at BC Place Stadium on Sunday.

The Stampeders and 24-year-old quarterback Bo Levi Mitchell, showing the potential of an up-and-coming

Grey Cup turning points

1 First. Stamps strike early

Backup QB Drew Tate scored on a one-yard run as the Calgary Stampeders grabbed a 7-0 lead over the Hamilton Tiger-Cats after the first quarter.

2 Second. Banks opens Grey Cup account

Tiger-Cats speedster Brandon Banks got behind the Calgary defence for a 45-yard TD on a pass from Zach Colararo that cut the deficit to 17-7 at halftime.

3 Third. Paredes pushes lead to 13

Rene Paredes kicked a 20-yard field goal with 4:20 left in the third quarter as Calgary took a 20-7 lead into the fourth.

4 Fourth. Cup goes to Calgary

Banks brought Ticats fans to their feet with 35 seconds left when he returned a punt 90 yards for a TD, but it was nullified by an illegal block penalty. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

star, looked unstoppable at one point. And that was without a big performance from Jon Cornish, who was contained to only five yards rushing in the first half.

Six plays after a Nic Grigsby fumble and Hamilton recovery for a loss of 29 yards, the Stampeders opened the scoring in the first quarter on a Drew Tate rushing touchdown.

Tate scored a pair of rushing touchdowns for Calgary, which led by 17-7 at halftime.

4 SPORTS

OFFMAKE CLEAROUT!



2013 Jeep Grand Cherokee Laredo
#499160A
\$30,980
or \$219 BW



2010 Mazda CX9
#106860A
\$23,980
or \$196 BW

Loaded



2009 Ford Explorer Sport Trac Limited
#155407TA
\$19,980
or \$189 BW

Ex. #155407TA COB \$2,943.22 for 60 months at 4.99% OAC. All payments include taxes, fees, and financing costs. Vehicles may not be exactly as illustrated. See dealer for details.



BRAD MCDONALD
Vehicle Sales Manager

SOUTHFORT
CHEVROLET

10109 89 Ave Fort Saskatchewan
1-888-919-4860
www.southfortchev.com

Now Open Sundays 11-4

Packers hold off New England

Firm defence.

Aaron Rodgers edges Tom Brady in the all-star quarterbacks' first-time clash as National Football League starters

Aaron Rodgers threw for two touchdowns, Eddie Lacy powered for key yards in the fourth quarter and the Green Bay Packers fended off the New England Patriots 26-21 Sunday in a high-profile matchup between Super Bowl contenders.

Rodgers bested Tom Brady in the first meeting between the star quarterbacks as starters. Rodgers connected with Richard Rodgers and Jordy Nelson for long touchdowns.

Leading by five, the defence held firm late for the Packers (9-3). Mike Daniels and Mike Neal combined to



sack Brady on third down for a nine-yard loss, and kicker Stephen Gostkowski pushed a 47-yard field-goal attempt wide right with 2:40 left.

The Packers sealed it after Rodgers converted to Cobb on third-and-four with the Patriots out of timeouts.

Brady finished with two touchdown passes to Brandon LaFell for New England (9-3), which had its seven-game winning streak snapped.

The second score came from 15 yards early in the fourth quarter to get within 23-21.

The lead could have been wider for the Packers if not

for some hiccups in the red zone.

Green Bay settled for four field goals from Mason Crosby of 35 yards or less, including a 28-yarder to make it a five-point lead with 8:41 left. That kick came after rookie Davante Adams dropped a potential touchdown pass on third-and-five from the New England 10.

On his knees, a frustrated Rodgers buried his helmet into the turf in frustration.

But he was celebrating at the end. Green Bay has won four in a row and right of nine.

The Packers had been blowing past opponents at home with big early leads, turning the final 30 minutes of games at Lambeau Field into glorified practices. But this game had the feel of a championship fight down to the final minutes.

New England punched back after falling behind 13-0 in the first quarter.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



Green Bay Packers quarterback Aaron Rodgers is sacked by New England Patriots' Dont'a Hightower and Zach Moore during the first half of their game Sunday, in Green Bay, Wis. TOM LYNN/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Shorthanded City nab second from Southampton



Yaya Toure shoots to open the scoresheet for Man City at Southampton on Sunday in Southampton, England. MIKE HEWITT/GETTY IMAGES

Manchester City cut Southampton down to size by dislodging the overachieving side from second place in the Premier League on Sunday, while Tottenham produced another comeback to beat Everton.

Defending champion City was frustrated in the first half at St. Mary's, but Yaya Toure, Frank Lampard and Gael Clichy netted to claim a 3-0 victory. The last two goals came with City down to 10 men following Eliaquim Mangala's 74th-minute dismissal.

"We knew what we were

He scores (finally)

593

Tottenham striker Soldado scored his first goal in the English Premiership since March, a dearth of 593 minutes.

coming up against today, a very good team in very good form," Lampard said. "I think you could see from the outset today that our attitude was absolutely bang on."

With Arsenal and Manchester United up next, this was a disappointing start

to a sequence of games that will show how realistic Southampton's top-four ambitions are.

Tottenham, led by former Southampton manager Mauricio Pochettino, is just two points from the Champions League places after beating Everton. Goals scored by Roberto Soldado and Christian Eriksen saw Tottenham come from behind to win 2-1 for the third time in four league games.

Chelsea ends the weekend with its lead cut to six points after failing to score

for the first time this season in Saturday's 0-0 draw at Sunderland.

At White Hart Lane, Soldado clinched Tottenham's win with his first league goal since March — a barren run of 593 minutes.

"It hasn't been easy," Tottenham manager Mauricio Pochettino said. "It's always frustrating for a striker when he doesn't score ... he's (been) feeling the pressure."

Spurs climbed three places to seventh, leaving Everton in 10th.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NHL

Detroit beats Canucks, blackout

Pavel Datsyuk scored twice and the Detroit Red Wings beat the Vancouver Canucks 5-3 on Sunday for their fourth straight victory.

About a third of the arena, including the Vancouver zone, went dark 29 seconds into the game after a minor power failure, delaying action for 33 minutes.

Linden Vey scored twice, and Yannick Weber added a goal for Vancouver.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Ski

Jansrud rules Lake Louise with super-G win

Lake Louise is becoming Kjetil Jansrud's hill, and he has two white cowboy hats to prove it.

Previously empty-handed at Lake Louise, the Norwegian completed a sweep of World Cup races at the Alberta resort with a super-G win Sunday.

The 29-year-old also won Saturday's season-opening downhill.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Violence in La Liga

Fan brawl kills one, injures 11

One man died and 11 others suffered minor injuries after a fight broke out outside Atletico Madrid's soccer stadium between its fans and those of visiting team Deportivo La Coruna, officials said Sunday.

Madrid's Clinico San Carlos hospital said a man died of injuries sustained in the clash between rival fans that broke out hours before the game. Police made several arrests.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

At the 11th hour

Stoppage-time goal saves Barça at Valencia

Barcelona needed a stoppage-time goal by Sergio Busquets to secure a 1-0 win at Valencia on a day Spanish football was rocked by the death of a fan after a violent clash between rival supporters.

Barcelona remained two points behind leader Real Madrid after Busquets blasted in a rebound in the final seconds of injury time at Mestalla Stadium.

Lionel Messi started Barcelona's game-clinching move with a lobbed pass that Neymar header powerfully at goalkeeper Diego Alves, who did well to turn back the ball only for Busquets to drill it right back past him.

Messi appeared to be hit in the head by a water bottle thrown from the stands while his teammates piled on top of one another to celebrate the winning goal. The Argentine rubbed his head following the incident but was unhurt.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



Sergio Busquets, left, and Neymar celebrate Barcelona's goal at Valencia Sunday. AFP/GETTY IMAGES

AUGMENTED REALITY

Stuck on 12 Across?
Scan this image with your Metro News app for today's crossword and Sudoku answers. It's OK. No one's watching.

See the full instructions on Metro's Voices page.



Horoscopes by Sally Brompton

Aries

March 21 - April 20

With your ruler Mars allied to Saturn today you possess stamina, steadfastness and a taste for success. Decide on a target and go for it.

Taurus

April 21 - May 21

The task you have to tackle over the next few days may not seem inspiring but once you get to grips with it you will find it engages your interest more than you imagined.

Gemini

May 22 - June 21

Mars in the wealth area of your chart means you have important financial arrangements to deal with and you must do so from a position of strength. Know your worth.

Cancer

June 22 - July 23

Something you have taken for granted turns out to be not so simple. Rather than be annoyed, dig deeper into the situation. What you find could send you on a voyage of discovery.

Leo

July 24 - Aug. 23

Now is the time to get started on a task you've been avoiding. With Mars and Saturn on good terms today you will find it easy to concentrate.

Virgo

Aug. 24 - Sept. 23

It may not be obvious where a certain situation is taking you but everything will be revealed in time. Trust your instincts over the next few days.

Libra

Sept. 24 - Oct. 23

Something is missing from your life and you won't be happy until you find what it is. According to the planets it isn't "out there" in the world but "in here" in your heart.

Scorpio

Oct. 24 - Nov. 22

An objective may not have been within your reach in the past but it will be over the next few days. All you have to do is put a name to your dream and then extend your hand to grasp it.

Sagittarius

Nov. 23 - Dec. 21

Get down to essentials. What exists in your mind's eye could and should exist in the real world, so stop the excuses and make it happen.

Capricorn

Dec. 22 - Jan. 20

Something you see or hear over the next 24 hours will inspire you to do more with your life. If someone who does not possess your talents and can be a success, so can you.

Aquarius

Jan. 21 - Feb. 19

There is a job to be done and you know that you won't be able to move on in your life until it is finished. You don't like to feel you are being coerced but it's for your own benefit.

Pisces

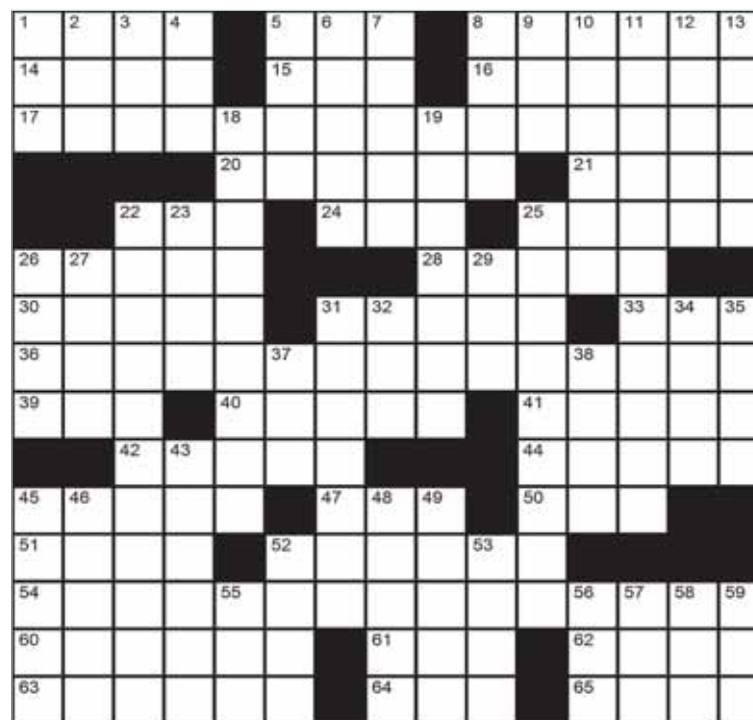
Feb. 20 - March 20

With mind planet Mercury at odds with your ruler Neptune make sure those you help really are in need, and not faking it.

Crossword: Canada Across and Down by Kelly Ann Buchanan

Across

1. Montreal Canadiens home, Centre
5. Chef Lagasse's sound!
8. Francia's neighbour in Europa
14. Jazzy Ms. Laine
15. Airport posting, briefly
16. "Old ___" (1957)
17. Face creams might claim to stimulate this process: 3 wds.
20. Nullifier, at law
21. Mr. Berkus
22. Smidgen
24. ___ the Record Man
25. Ferry village on the Ottawa River
26. Ms. Swinton
28. Grads
30. Easy _____ (Simple)
31. Soap star Ms. Francis
33. Distant
36. Prince Philip's title: 3 wds.
39. Imitate
40. Saskatchewan village
41. Manicurist's board
42. God of wine in ancient Rome
44. Toronto's Loma, and others
45. Sagas
47. Prime meridian std.
50. Kyrgyzstan city
51. Dream: French



52. Pat Morita's character in "The Karate Kid" (1984)
54. Seamstress' workshop item: 2 wds.
60. Egg stone
61. Writer of 1856's Aurora Leigh ...her monogram
62. Barney Bentall & The Legendary Hearts

- song: 2 wds.
63. Musicals composer Jule, and surnamesakes
64. Frat. counterpart
65. "Revolutionary ___" (2008)

Down

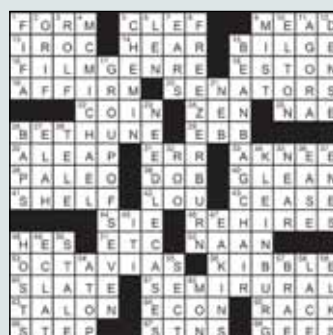
1. Cavemen yrs.
2. Wapiti

3. Hawaiian necklace
4. Mr. Chaney
5. BBC, cute-style
6. Sky's supporter
7. Mediterranean island
8. Glancer
9. John McCain, e.g.
10. Fully-packed assembly
11. Slogan for Tim

- Hortons: 2 wds.
12. "Peachy keen!"
13. "Over the Rainbow" co-composer Harold
18. Chambers-for-the-dead
19. Bucharest's land
22. American actress married to Canadian actor Ryan Reynolds:

- 2 wds.
23. "Why, ___ honoured!"
25. Inhabitant of the province to Ontario's right
26. "Voila!"
27. In baseball, goes to bat: 2 wds.
29. Ms. Ronstadt, for short
31. Atlanta's state
32. Summer hrs. indicator
34. Taj Mahal's site
35. Actor Mr. Darby
37. Charge
38. Ms. Thurman's
43. Traps the ship in Arctic waters: 2 wds.
45. Mathematician, Paul ___ (b.1913 - d.1996)
46. Ross who ran for President in the 1990s
48. Comedian Wanda
49. Billy Blanks fitness system: 2 wds.
52. Fr. titles for ladies
53. Eng., Scot. and Wales: 2 wds.
55. Queen ___ (Toronto thoroughfare)
56. Pres. monogram
57. "___ Baby Baby" by The Miracles
58. Shag rug kind
59. Huff

Friday's Crossword



Online

See today's answers at metronews.ca/answers



Conceptis Sudoku by Dave Green

How to play

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved.

Friday's Sudoku



©2013 Conceptis Puzzles, Dist. by King Features Syndicate, Inc.

NO INTEREST! Interested?

Did you know that you can legally force your creditors into a settlement through a program called a Proposal?

Ask us about it. Call or email: inquiries@SolvingDebt.ca

780.701.0431

www.SolvingDebt.ca



Bromwich & Smith Inc.

Credit Counsellors | Proposal Administrators | Trustees in Bankruptcy

Believing In Your Future.

11810 Kingsway Ave.



WE USUALLY DON'T DO SALE EVENTS BUT THIS ONE IS HUGE!

OVER 750 NEW VEHICLES IN STOCK



**NEW RAM 1500
SPORT 4X4**

Stock #1298
Regular \$49,089, Discount \$15,099



\$33,990 OR **\$199**
bw



**NEW 2014 4X4
RAM 1500
CREW SPORT**

Stock #6747
Regular \$53,709, Discount \$16,719



\$36,990 OR **\$216**
bw



**NEW 2014 4X4
RAM 1500
LARAMIE QUAD**

Stock #0166
Regular \$58,429, Discount \$16,439



\$41,990 OR **\$245**
bw



**NEW RAM 2500
CREW LARAMIE
CUMMINS 4X4**

Stock #9507
Regular \$79,354, Discount \$19,364



\$59,990 OR **\$351**
bw



**NEW 2014 4X4
RAM 3500 CREW
DUALY SXT**

Stock #3741
Regular \$59,959, Discount \$17,969



\$41,990 OR **\$245**
bw



**NEW RAM 3500
CREW SLT
CUMMINS 4X4**

Stock #6887
Regular \$78,579, Discount \$18,589



\$49,990 OR **\$293**
bw



**NEW 2014 4X4
JEEP WRANGLER
UNLIMITED SPORT**

Stock #7484
Regular \$35,614, Discount \$7,624



\$27,990 OR **\$164**
bw



**NEW 2014
4X4 JEEP
COMPASS NORTH**

Stock #6758
Regular \$29,034, Discount \$6,044



\$22,990 OR **\$135**
bw



**NEW 2014 4X4
JEEP GR CHEROKEE
OVERLAND
ECODIESEL**

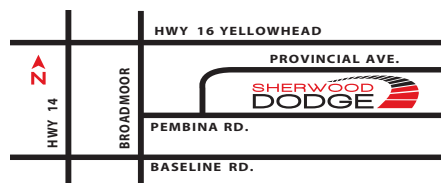
Stock #8915
Regular \$67,009, Discount \$12,019



\$54,990 OR **\$321**
bw



VISIT OUR ENTIRE INVENTORY AT
SHERWOODDODGE.CA



YELLOWHEAD & BROADMOOR
780.410.4100



WINTER HOURS:
Monday-Thursday 8:30AM - 8PM;
Fri. 8:30AM-6PM; Sat. 8:30AM-6PM;
Sun. 11AM-4PM

All prices are net of GST and include all dealer discounts and manufacturer rebates available. File photos used, vehicles may not be exactly as illustrated. Payments based on 96 mos term at 4.99% and are OAC. Example: 2014 Ram 1500 Crew Sport for \$36990, \$216 b/w for 96 mos at 4.99% with cob \$7826. Please contact us with any questions on vehicles, options, terms, pricing